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TNFRS personnel rescuing people from waterlogged Mudichur near Tambaram in Chennai on Tuesday | P RAVIKUMAR

DEATH TOLL IN TN RISES TO 17, STALIN ASKS CENTRE FOR ₹5K CR

AS the death toll due to Cyclone Michaung rose to 17 in Chennai and with many parts of the city and its neighbouring districts facing waterlogging, Chief Minister MK Stalin on Tuesday said the state government is seeking ₹5,000 crore urgently from the government of India for immediate relief, rescue and restoration works and that DMK MPs would raise this demand in Parliament too.

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Revanth gets hot seat, will take oath tomorrow

Vikramarka and Uttam had thrown their hats in the Telangana CM ring as well

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@Hyderabad

IT'S official. A Revanth Reddy will be sworn in as the next chief minister of Telangana on December 7.

The Congress high command announced Revanth's name following daylong deliberations with the AICC observers and the other two contenders for the post — Mallu Bhatti Vikramarka and N Uttam Kumar Reddy.

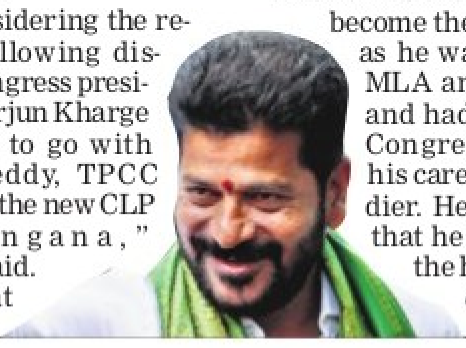
AICC general secretary K C Venugopal said that the AICC observers D K Shivakumar and Telangana in-charge Manikrao Thakre gave a detailed report on their observations about the CLP meeting.

"After considering the report, and following discussions, Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge has decided to go with Revanth Reddy, TPCC president, as the new CLP of Telangana," Venugopal said.

He said that the Congress government will be a team and not a one-man show and that the party will give due recognition to seniors.

Vikramarka and Uttam had thrown their hats in the CM ring. However, on Tuesday morning, party leader Rahul Gandhi called on Kharge at his residence in Delhi to take the final call. Kharge then informed AICC observers that their choice was Revanth. Following this, the AICC observers spoke to Vikramarka and Uttam, assuring them of key positions within the party and the government.

Earlier in the day, Uttam said that he was the most eligible to become the chief minister as he was a seven-time MLA and a sitting MP, and had worked in the Congress throughout his career as a loyal soldier. He, however, said that he would abide by the high command's decision.



THIRD YOUNGEST CM IN UNDIVIDED ANDHRA

At 54, Revanth will be the second and youngest chief minister of Telangana and the third youngest in undivided Andhra Pradesh. Revanth brought the Congress to power within three years after assuming the reins of TPCC by revitalising the moribund party

Submerged two-wheelers amid floodwaters in Vizag on Tuesday | G SATYANARAYANA

38.8 CM RAIN AT KOTA IN TIRUPATI

In the 24 hours ending 8.30 am on Tuesday, highest rainfall of 38.8 cm was reported at Kota in Tirupati district, followed by Manubolu in Nellore (36.6 cm), Chillakuru (33.5 cm), Naidupeta (27.1 cm) and Balayapalle (23.9 cm) in Tirupati, Saidapuram (22.3 cm) and Venkatachelam (21.3 cm) in Nellore district. Highest rainfall of 14.8 cm was recorded at Eluru, closely followed by Garijepalle (14.5 cm) in Bapatla from 8.30 am to 6 pm on Tuesday. In Anakapalle district, Darlapudi recorded 13.6 cm rainfall, followed by 13 cm in Kothakota and 12.6 cm in Ballighatam. Appikatta in Bapatla district recorded 12.5 cm downpour.

HEAVY RAIN LASHES ANDHRA AS CYCLONE MAKES LANDFALL

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HEAVY rains lashed Tirupati, Nellore, Prakasam, West Godavari and Konaseema districts as the severe cyclonic storm Michaung made landfall near Bapatla between 12.30 pm and 2.30 pm on Tuesday. After reaching the Nellore coast in the early hours of the day, the storm moved northwards parallel to the coastline, before making landfall near Bapatla.

Suryalanka witnessed rough seas with two-metre-high waves hitting the coast. The sea also surged by a few metres in the coastal areas of Bapatla, Repalle and Nizampatnam.

In YSR district, a 45-year-old police constable died after a tree collapsed on him near the Bhakrapet checkpost. The tree had uprooted due to strong winds under the influence of the cyclone. Satya Kumar was on his way to work on a motorcycle when the accident happened.

According to the India Meteorological Department (IMD), the intensity of the cyclone decreased after the landfall. It is expected to move northwards and dissipate completely by Wednesday afternoon. Under its influence, Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Parvathipuram-Manyam, Alluri Sitarama Raju, Eluru, Krishna and NTR districts are likely to record light to moderate rains. Fishermen have been advised not to venture into the sea.

The strong winds and downpour in parts of the State resulted in inundation of several major roads, and uprooting of huge trees and electrical poles since Monday evening.

The severe cyclone resulted in crop damage (agriculture and horticulture) in Nellore, Tirupati, Bapatla, Guntur, Krishna, NTR, Eluru, Konaseema, Kakinada, West and East Godavari districts. Officials said a clear picture will emerge after enumeration of crop loss, which will be taken up once the rains recedes. Managing director of the Andhra Pradesh State Disaster Management Authority (APSDMA) Dr B R Ambedkar said 58 mandals in seven districts were adversely affected by the cyclone. P5

EXPRESS READ

I.N.D.I.A bloc meeting on December 17, says Lalu

PATNA: RJD president Lalu Prasad, a prominent face of the Opposition, on Tuesday said that top leaders of the I.N.D.I.A bloc will be meeting on December 17 to chalk out the strategy for the 2024 Lok Sabha polls. P10

Bomb threat mail: Police to take Interpol help

BENGALURU: The Bengaluru City Police investigating the bomb threat emails sent to schools, have decided to seek help from CBI's Interpol division, since they suspect that the mails could have originated from foreign soil. P3

Misfired bullet hit Arjuna's right leg, alleges mahout

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Hassan/Bengaluru

THE death of famed Dasara elephant Arjuna (64) has led to speculation and allegations, with experts questioning the method adopted for the operation, and why the wild tusker was not shot at. Arjuna's mahout has also accused forest officials and veterinarians of allegedly shooting Arjuna instead of the wild tusker.

Arjuna's mahout Vinu, who broke down during his last rites at Yeslur range, Hassan, said Arjuna might have died of an injury on his right leg. He alleged that Arjuna was shot at when he was tussling with the wild tusker in musth (heat), and the injury had slowed him and caused him to collapse.

The mahouts in Balle elephant camp, where Arjuna lived, said they were not keen on sending him for the rescue operation.

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7 die, 3 hurt in Vijayapura corn factory tragedy

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Vijayapura

SEVEN workers from Bihar died and three others were injured when huge corn containers collapsed on them at the Rajguru Foods factory on the outskirts of Vijayapura on Monday evening.

Sixteen containers, each weighing 60 tonnes, collapsed all of a sudden at the food processing factory around 7pm. Around 12 workers were working under the containers when the incident occurred, according to those who had a narrow escape.

Four workers reportedly died on the spot. Three workers, who were buried under the heap of corn and metal sheets of the containers, could not be saved even after a four-hour struggle by personnel from the Fire and Emergency Services Department and NDRF.

The deceased have been identified as Rajesh Mukhiya, 25, Rambrij Mukhiya, 29, Shambhu Mukhiya, 26, Ram Balak, 52, Lakhu, 45, Dalchand Mukhiya, 20, and Kishan Kumar, 20. P5

Social Welfare Department
Sri Siddaramaiah
Hon'ble Chief Minister
Sri D.K. Shivakumar
Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister
67th
MAHAPARINIRVANA DIVAS
Garlanding and Honouring the Statue of
Great Humanitarian, Architect of Indian Constitution, Bharat Ratna
Dr. B.R. Ambedkar
by
Sri Siddaramaiah
Hon'ble Chief Minister
And
Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa
Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare
December 6, 2023, Wednesday at 9.00 AM
Venue: Front of Vidhana Soudha (East Gate), Bengaluru
Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa,
Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare addressing a meeting.
"Educate, Organise and Agitate....!"
-Dr. B.R. Ambedkar
As is enshrined in our Constitution, "to value and preserve the rich heritage of our composite culture" is the fundamental duty of every citizen of the country.
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ALMANAC TODAY

- **Wednesday:** 06/12/2023 • **Year:** Shobhakruta • **Ayana:** Dakshinayana
- **Ritu:** Sharad • **Masa:** Karthika • **Paksha:** Krishna • **Tithi:** Navami 12.25 am
- **Nakshatra:** Uttharaphalguni 4.49 am • Moon in kanya Rashi • **Rahukaala:** 12:00 pm to 01:30pm
- **Gulikakala:** 10:30 am to 12:00 pm • **Yamaganda:** 07:30 am to 09:00 am

WEATHER

MIN 18°C | MAX 30°C

FORECAST
Passing showers. Overcast

Sunrise	6.28 am
Sunset	5.52 pm
Moonrise	12.42 am
Moonset	1.11 pm

HOUSE SEES HEATED DEBATE OVER GOVT'S BRAND BENGALURU PUSH

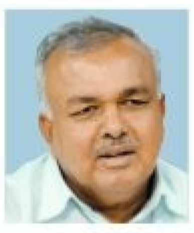
Oppn slams Cong for not taking up projects 6 months after taking oath, ruling party hits back

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Belagavi

THE Legislative Assembly on Tuesday saw a heated debate over the State Government's efforts to build Brand Bengaluru. BJP MLAs from Bengaluru took the Siddaramaiah government to task for not taking up any new development projects in the State capital after coming to power six months ago.

Congress members shot back, alleging that "Bengaluru suffers because of the misdeeds of your (previous BJP) government."

During Question Hour, Congress MLA NA Haris sought to know what steps the government has taken to build Brand Bengaluru based on a report submitted by urban experts.



Replying on behalf of Bengaluru Development Minister DK Shivakumar, Transport Minister **Ramalinga Reddy** explained the measures taken by the government to implement the recommendations made in the report.

Unhappy with the minister's reply, BJP's Basanagouda Patil Yatnal alleged that it is not Brand Bengaluru, the government has turned it into "Bomb Bengaluru".

This enraged the Congress members, who blamed the previous BJP government for all the problems in Bengaluru. BJP's Satish Reddy and Muniratna came down heavily on the government for not taking up work on flyover projects, slow pace of Metro work, drinking water shortage and not releasing adequate funds for these works.

Ramalingareddy held the previous BJP government responsible for not clearing pending bills of contractors estimated at Rs 25,000 crore in Bengaluru.

Leader of Opposition Ashoka said the government should come out with details regarding what it has done for Bengaluru's development in the last six months. When Reddy said the Opposition members should not criticise just for the sake of it and sought their cooperation in developing the State capital, the BJP members argued that they are not opposing Brand Bengaluru, but the government's poor response to problems such as bad roads and traffic congestion.

Rlys extends airport trains to C'ballapur

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RESPONDING to public demand, South Western Railway has finally extended three trains running towards airport (Devanahalli station) from the city, by an additional 22 km up to Chikkaballapur from December 11. Three trains originating from Devanahalli station will originate from Chikkaballapur from that date.

The trains towards the airport had poor patronage and there was a strong demand from residents and traffic experts to extend them up to Chikkaballapur to benefit office-goers, business people and college students.

A release said Train no. 06531 will be extended from Bengaluru Cantonment to Chikkaballapur, with its pairing train 06532 also starting at Chikkaballapur and terminating at Cantonment. As of now, this train originates at KSR and terminates at Devanahalli. Train no. 06593 will orginate at Yesvantpur and terminate at Chikkaballapur, and its pairing train 06594 will commence at Chikkaballapur. Presently, this train terminates at Devanahalli.

Train no. 06538 will originate at Bengaluru Cantonment and terminate at Chikkaballapur, while Train no. 06535 will originate at Chikkaballapur and terminate at Cantonment. The following four trains have been cancelled to facilitate the extension of the trains to Chikkaballapur: Train no. 06533 from Devanahalli to Yelahanka; Train no. 06534 from Yelahanka to KIA halt station; Train no. 06539 from Devanahalli to Yelahanka and Train no. 06540 from Yelahanka to Devanahalli.

KR Puram, Whitefield stns to get facelift

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@Bengaluru

RAILWAY stations on the outskirts of Bengaluru are all set to see a facelift under the 'Amrit Bharat Station Scheme', said Divisional Railway Manager Yogesh Mohan. Bangarpet, Kengeri, Krishnarajapuram, Mandya, Channapatna, Hosur, Hindupur, Kuppam, Malur, Ramanagaram, Tumakuru and Whitefield figure among the 15 stations to be modernised, said an official release.

Divisional Railway Manager Yogesh Mohan at a meeting on Tuesday | EXPRESS

Taking part in the third meeting of the Divisional Railway Users Consultative Committee (DRUCC) of the Bengaluru Division on Monday, the DRM said, "The Goods Sheds at Kyatasandra, Nidvanda, Penukonda and Whitefield are proposed to be upgraded with facilities, such as fencing, shelter, merchant room, canteen for workers and restroom."

Detailing the achievements of the division in the last one year, Mohan said it recorded its highest ever freight revenue for a single month in November, at Rs 24.22 crore. "The division has recorded a total freight revenue of Rs 173.17 crore till date in the current year," he specified.

Many firsts were recorded by the division this year, the DRM said. "New traffic in the form of petroleum and petroleum products in April 2023 has commenced. So far, 63 rakes have been loaded, fetching a revenue of Rs 9.33 crore. In October, it loaded tractors for the first time from Doddaballapur to Kanakpura in Rajasthan," Mohan said.

Up to November 2023, it loaded 515 rakes, a growth of 46 per cent over the same period last year.

Automobile transportation through trains too was booming. "The division has loaded 430 rakes till November 2023, which is 35 per cent more compared to the corresponding period of the last year," he said.

163rd SLBC meeting held

Bengaluru: The 163rd State Level Bankers Committee (SLBC) meeting was held in the city on December 2 to review progress of the September quarter. SLBC Convenor and General Manager, Canara Bank, M Bhaskar Chakravarthy said Karnataka has secured third rank under MUDRA sanctions and disbursement, and fifth position in case of PMSVANidhi scheme in PAN India. Chief Secretary Rajneesh Goel chaired the meeting, suggesting banks to organise awareness camps and restructure all the eligible loans within the stipulated cutoff date as a drought relief measure for farmers.

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Lalbagh to have 40 ft traditional well

BENGALURU: In a bid to stop flooding at Lalbagh Botanical Garden, the construction of a traditional well is on the anvil. Several groups through a PPP model have come together to address the issue of flooding in and around Lalbagh. Over the years, excess rainwater flowing out of the 240-acre garden has been mixing with stormwater, and in the process, carrying pollutants along. Friends of Lakes, Biome Foundation, India Cares Foundation and DCB Bank, in association with the Department of Horticulture, have taken up the responsibility to build an open traditional well in the garden that is home to over 1,854 plant species. The multi-purpose well will be 25-feet in diameter and have a depth of 40 feet. It will be a reservoir to manage excess rainwater during downpours and will mitigate water stagnation, which can decay tree roots.

CONNECTING CITY

Workers get busy at the underpass construction site near Krantivira Sangolli Rayanna Railway Station, in Okalipuram, on Tuesday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

HAL to host Avionics Expo in Delhi on December 7, 8

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HINDUSTAN Aeronautics Limited (HAL) will showcase its rich legacy in the design, development and production of a diverse range of avionics systems during Avionics Expo-2023, to be held at Dr Ambedkar International Centre, New Delhi, on December 7 and 8. The Expo will be inaugurated by Chief of Defence Staff General Anil Chauhan.

"We will demonstrate HAL's capabilities and contributions toward self-reliance in avionics, to our stakeholders, including the Indian Armed Forces, Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Civil Aviation, DRDO and other important institutions," said CB Ananthakrishnan, CMD (Additional Charge), HAL.

The expo will unveil a comprehensive range of avionics products deployed in various aircraft platforms, including advanced flight control systems, communication systems and navigation systems. Several panel discussions will feature experts from the Armed Forces, HAL, partner organisations, and academia, providing a holistic view of the sector.

"The event will serve as a hub for professionals, industry leaders and stakeholders from the aviation sector. They will have ample networking opportunities to establish meaningful connections, foster collaborations and explore potential business partnerships. It is a testament to HAL's commitment to advancing aerospace technology in India," said DK Sunil, Director (Engineering and R&D). A section for live demonstrations will allow visitors to witness the performance and reliability of HAL's avionics solutions in realtime scenarios. Engineering students from in and around Delhi have also been invited to gain the experience. HAL's Avionics Expo aims to achieve self-reliance in avionics and is a testament to its commitment to advancing aerospace technology in India.

Delay by Lokayukta in getting BBMP to clear footpath: AAP

MOHAMMED YACOOB
@Bengaluru

MEMBERS of Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) have blamed the delay by the Lokayukta to get the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) act against footpath encroachments opposite the South Zone Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) office.

K Mathai, former bureaucrat and AAP member, said footpaths near 18 properties around the BBMP South Zone office in Jayanagar 2nd Block have been encroached. In 2005, the government also passed an order, saying footpaths should be reclaimed. The BBMP Council too has passed a resolution stating that encroachments have to be removed. But no action has been taken, he added.

"Since BBMP failed to take action, we complained to the Lokayukta a year ago. But still, the issue has remained unresolved. Despite the government order, the BBMP has failed to reclaim the land. Usually, Lokayukta gives one or two chances for hearing, but in this case, over 12 dates were given. If BBMP has not taken action and Lokayukta is going slow, then it appears someone strong is behind this," alleged Mathai. "If the Lokayukta is not taking action, we will have to complain to the governor and CM. If Lokayukta is not taking action, we don't want such Lokayukta," he added.

Retired BBMP Chief Engineer Muni Krishna said many buildings under the BBMP Zonal Commissioners' office have violated bylaws and encroached footpaths. "We have been fighting for the cause for the last two years, but BBMP has not taken any action. BBMP officials are efficient in allowing illegal constructions," he added.

Lokayukta and BBMP officials were expected to inspect the spot on Tuesday, but postponed it. A senior official from the BBMP South Zone said, "Since there is a legal issue over footpath land, BBMP is taking time."

A senior Lokayukta official said as there was a massive raid on Tuesday, the inspection was not possible.

For safer footpaths: BBMP to hold two-day 'Namma Raste' exhibition

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THE BBMP is all set to organise 'Namma Raste', a two-day exhibition in which discussions, debates and presentations will be held, on the best practices to make the city's footpaths, walkways and pedestrian areas safer.

Speaking about the event, BBMP Chief Commissioner **Tushar Girinath** said the idea is to make footpaths safe for the future, and hence, such designs and concepts will be discussed and implemented in the BBMP.

"The Palike will hold the event on Friday and Saturday at the premises of the head office, along with World Resource Institute (WRI) and another private agency," said Girinath.

Earlier, BBMP Engineer-In-Chief BS Prahallad had shared a video message, appealing to the public to take part in the event and offer suggestions on safe footpath projects. "BBMP's intention is not just to make safe roads for vehicle-users, but also for pedestrians, hence an exhibition on safe footpaths and resilient footpaths of Bengaluru will be held," he said.

Srinivas Alavilli, Fellow, WRI said there will be experts, many civic groups and resident welfare organisations and students taking part in the two-day event.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

06th December: Have you ever wondered how astrology works? My best answer is that it's astrologers who work. Astrology is less an immutable science and more an interpretative art that tells us about the meaning and significance of the universe. It also assumes that the whole cosmos is alive and conscious!

ARIES
(Mar 21 - Apr. 20)

Surprises should soon start coming thick and fast. How about a spot of emotional and spiritual spring-cleaning? More than that, how about picking up on an ambition which you have done nothing about for far too long? Life is not a rehearsal - so get on with it!

TAURUS
(Apr. 21 - May 21)

I doubt if you'll have much time left over after all the routine chores have been completed and cleared up. One particularly important piece of advice is to watch your health. The last thing you want to do now is wear yourself out. If you're flat on your back, you'll be no use to anybody!

GEMINI
(May 22 - June 21)

You do not need reminding to keep on the straight and narrow. Enjoy yourself by all means, but remember that children and younger friends may be looking to you for support. A family gathering or party could be a good idea, just as long as you agree with partners on what's required.

CANCER
(June 22 - July 23)

How far can you go? And will it be worth it when you get there? These are the sort of questions you should be asking yourself at the moment. If you can enlist partners' support it will all be so much more straightforward. But, then, isn't that always the case?

LEO
(July 24 - Aug. 23)

Don't compare your troubles to other people's. I know that a lot of you have much to grumble about, but if you would open your eyes you'd see just how hard associates are trying to cheer you up. Actually, everything depends on whether you like hard work or not. If you do, you'll get on just fine!

VIRGO
(Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)

If you have a problem now, it may be related not so much to your own mistakes, as to a temporary hiccup in circumstances. Give yourself a break. If you think about it, there are now certain commitments which can look after themselves. And you can look after yourself!

LIBRA
(Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)

Hopefully, you are now aware of a general air of anticipation and excitement. If you can put daily cares to one side and tune in to the higher planetary energies, you'll realise that one phase of existence is coming to an end. And the good news is that another is beginning.

SCORPIO
(Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)

Don't close the shutters and bring down the blinds just yet. No sooner has the curtain been drawn on one cycle of existence, than a new one will begin. Listen to your conscience and the future will be bright. Plus, you may be interested to know that today is a grand moment for making final, financial choices.

SAGITTARIUS
(Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)

I know you've had a thousand and one practical details to preoccupy you, but if you can lift your eyes to the heavens, you'll focus on the broader picture. A whole host of trivial problems will fall into perspective at last. I know it's an effort but it will be worth it.

CAPRICORN
(Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)

You have been receiving confusing and conflicting signals but, within a few days, everything should be clear. Symbolically, today is a time to hibernate, so don't let anyone force your hand. After all, the moment you drop your guard, a rival or colleague could seize the initiative.

AQUARIUS
(Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)

It's ethical issues which raise their heads now. Question whether what you're doing is right and, if it's not, take the appropriate action. If you have a choice, go for the adventurous prospect. But make sure that you leave absolutely no loopholes whatsoever!

PISCES
(Feb. 20 - Mar 20)

Nothing is quite as it seems. Keep all your options open and don't worry if you run into delays. If you've big meetings or important enterprises to conduct, go for midday as the optimum time - and make sure you prepare your ground carefully. Plus, be prepared to put in extra effort.

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Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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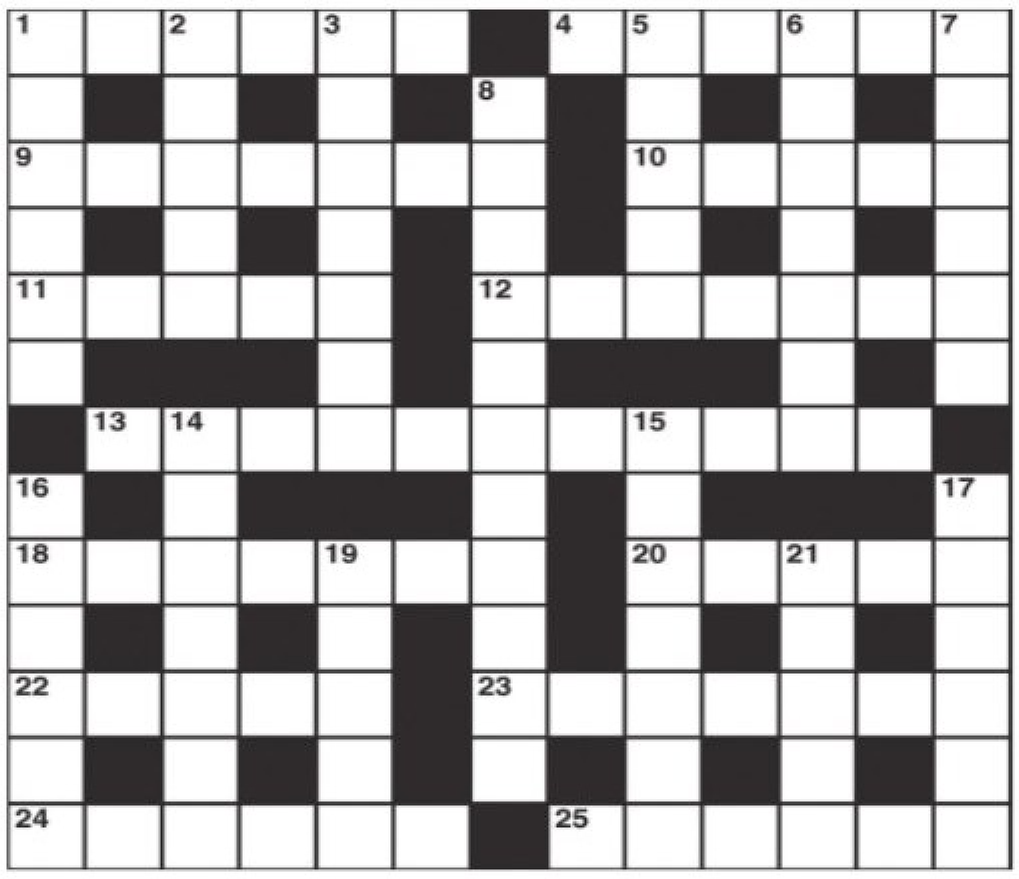
6	7	2	4	8	9	3	1	5
1	3	9	7	2	5	6	4	8
5	2	1	9	6	3	8	7	4
7	8	6	5	4	2	9	3	1
3	9	4	8	7	1	5	2	6

SUDOKU EASY

TEST YOUR NUMBER CRUNCHING SKILL WITH OUR UNIQUE PUZZLE

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.



CROSS WORD

ACROSS

1 Approaching resort of St Malo (6)
4 Parental couple taken round an international waterway (6)
9 Smart effort surrounds a city (7)
10 Chopper blade going to and fro (5)
11 People count on them to send them to sleep (5)
12 An empty form of recompense (7)
13 It is unbeatable at the card table (3,2,6)
18 It's a heap of use to gardeners (7)
20 Gymnastic animal (5)
22 Study French (5)
23 Return journeys to the Australian bush? (7)
24 It comes to the fore in the footwear industry (6)
25 What bleach will do when it is brought in (6)

DOWN

1 A way to gain admission (6)
2 Complex network holds one source of oil (5)
3 A set preliminary (7)
5 Right to go in a light dress (5)
6 New part ordered in Belgium (7)
7 Lend a certain sparkle (6)
8 Contest the capitalistic thesis (11)
14 Put income down or work it out electronically (7)
15 Remove all traces (7)
16 A sound characteristic of many foreigners (6)
17 An unpopular American in a jacket (6)
19 Work-time entertainment (5)
21 Cook a sort of stew (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Optical, 5 Capri, 8 Silent protest, 9 Tithe, 10 Evening, 11 Scouts, 12 Tidier, 15 Used car, 17 Psalm, 19 Prepossessing, 20 Rifle, 21 Oceanic.

Down: 1 Onset, 2 Talk to oneself, 3 Conceit, 4 Lapped, 5 Clove, 6 Precipitation, 7 Integer, 11 Scupper, 13 Impasse, 14 Fresco, 16 Clone, 18 Magic.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

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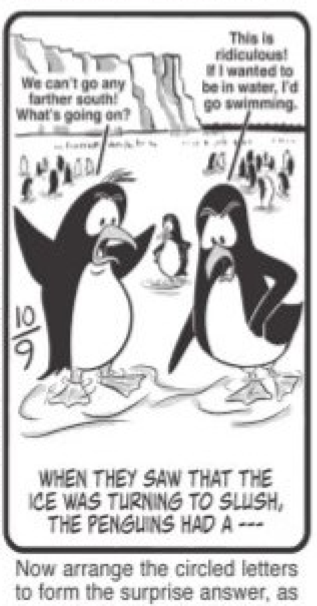

We can't go any farther south! What's going on?
This is ridiculous! If I wanted to be in water, I'd go swimming.
10/9
WHEN THEY SAW THAT THE ICE WAS TURNING TO SLUSH, THE PENGUINS HAD A ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Print answer here: ○○○○○○○○

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's
Jumbles: PURGE HARSH SMOOTH VANISH
Answer: They weren't sure if they were going to make it to the summit, but they did have — HIGH HOPES

18 flights cancelled today

Seven out of 14 flights scheduled to depart from Bengaluru to Chennai were cancelled today. Of the scheduled 13 incoming flights from Chennai to Bengaluru, 11 flights were cancelled, said an official spokesperson. These are updates available only upto 10 am on Tuesday

SCHOOL BOMB EMAILS

POLICE TO SEEK INTERPOL HELP

Other nations got such letters too: top cop

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru:

CITY police investigating bomb threat emails to 48 schools have decided to seek assistance from CBI's Interpol division. Police suspect the emails could have been sent from a foreign destination, and are seeking help from the investigating agency. Officials have also written to the service providers concerned, seeking technical assistance. In all, 27 FIRs were registered over the bomb threats to schools.

"We are trying to find out who sent the emails and from where. We are in touch with the service providers. On Monday, a detailed meeting was held on the investigation. Some of the cases registered last year under similar circumstances were analysed. We are trying to find out if there is a common pattern between the previous year's threats and the recent ones. We are eliciting information from the service providers concerned. Similar letters were received in other countries too, and that aspect has also been taken into consideration. The 27 FIRs pertain to all 48 schools. In some cases, the complaints have been merged and detailed statements recorded from all schools. The content in all the threat emails is the same. However, there is a difference in the content and email IDs of the threat mails of the previous year and present year. Since VPN and proxy servers are used, detecting the source or origin has its own technical challenges. If there is a need, we will contact foreign countries through proper channels," City Police Commissioner B Dayananda told the media.

It may be recalled that 48 schools in Bengaluru Urban and 20 schools in Bengaluru Rural received bomb threat mails on December 1. Police did not find any suspicious objects in any of the schools after a thorough search.

Similar threats were sent to schools last year and in two cases, juveniles were held in RR Nagar and Basaveshwaranagar police station limits. City police had written to service provider beeble.com and got a reply. The accused had sent the threat mails from beeble.com.

EXPRESS READ

Bus fire: BMTC driver, conductor felicitated

Bengaluru: BMTC bus driver Gaurisha and conductor Giridhar whose presence of mind saved their bus from being burnt were handed over cash awards and were felicitated by BMTC MD Sathyavathi on Tuesday. Owing to their brave actions, Sathyavathi issued Rs 10,000 and Rs 5,000 cash award and an appreciation certificate to driver Gourisha J and conductor Giridhar respectively. Further, BMTC Depot Manager, Pradeep Kumar G who guided Gourisha to drive the bus over the divider to detach it from the burning car was awarded Rs 5,000 with a certificate. Besides, Manjunath and Gopinath who managed to get a fire extinguisher from a nearby petrol bunk to douse the fire were also appreciated and handed over a memento as a token of gratitude.

Chennai trains end at Katpadi, pax force VB to continue

S LALITHA @ Bengaluru

THE torrential downpour at Chennai on Monday terribly impacted over 1,300 train passengers from Karnataka, with two of the trains terminating at Katpadi Junction, 230km from Bengaluru. With half of the nearly 300 passengers on board the Vande Bharat Express from Mysuru to Chennai via Bengaluru, that reached Katpadi by 7.30pm, refusing to budge from their seats, it was decided that the train would run up to Arakkonam. It later ran till Chennai Beach station, said passengers and railway officials.

Chennai Express from Mysuru reached Katpadi by 12noon, while the West Coast Express from Mangaluru via Coimbatore reached by 1.30pm. "The tracks leading to Chennai were submerged in water. The passengers were asked to alight and nearly 1,000 of them from both the trains did so. Buses were arranged by the local administration to take them upto Katpadi New Town, the intercity bus station, from where they could continue their trip to Chennai or return to Karnataka," officials said.

The Vande Bharat (No. 20608) from Mysuru had a delayed start at 4.15pm (scheduled time 2.55pm). At 5.05pm, passengers received messages on their mobiles from Indian Railways saying, "Train no. 20608 Mysuru MAS VB Express, leaving Mysuru Junction on 04.12.2023 is short terminated at Katpadi JN and the train will not touch station MGR Chennai."

Chaos followed inside the coaches, post the text message. Bengalureans Tanya Shenoy (name changed) and her friend S Nimisha, final year undergraduate students, were on their way to Chennai to take up their exams on Friday. Tanya told TNIE, "It was only after I heard a passenger arguing with the TTE why they were not informed earlier that we knew the train would not reach Chennai. Due to personal safety reasons and repeated persuasion from my mother, we both decided to return to Bengaluru. We paid Rs 6,500 to the cab driver including toll charges, to return home." This is more than thrice the cost of a Chair Car ticket on VB from Bengaluru to Chennai, which is Rs 977.

K Suresh, vice-president of Chennai-based Wealth South Head, "After our train reached Katpadi, at least half the passengers on board refused to alight as we felt that if buses could run to Chennai, trains could too. There were vociferous arguments inside the train for over an hour between us and four TTEs. It was dark and raining heavily outside. Many of us, including women, would have to hunt for accommodation at Katpadi. We stood our ground and finally, officials agreed to run the train till Arakkonam. Our train left by 9pm." After reaching there, it was decided to take it up to Chennai Beach station. An official said, "Hi-tech buses were used to transport those from the train who wanted to go to Chennai at their own cost."

Replying to a query on how passengers could force the train to operate, Divisional Railway Manager, Chennai, B Vishwanath Eerya told TNIE, "In the Railways, safety is our priority. No one can force us to run the train, risking safety. There was a proposal to terminate it at Katpadi. It was later changed due to technical reasons."

Passengers being ferried from Katpadi station to the bus stand | EXPRESS

CANCELLED TRAINS RESTORED

Bengaluru: The following trains cancelled due to Michauling cyclone in Chennai have been restored by the South Central Railway. They are: Sir M Visvesvaraya Terminal - Nagercoil (Train no. 17235) starting on December 6); Nagercoil-SMVT - Nagercoil on December 7 and SMVT-Kakinada on December 8.

Lokayukta raids Bescom EE, finds ₹1.44 cr

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@ Bengaluru

THE Lokayukta police on Tuesday conducted raids and searches at 68 places belonging to 13 accused state government officials, including a former vice-chancellor, in nine districts for allegedly possessing assets disproportionate to their known sources of income.

Channakeshava HD, Executive Engineer, KPTCL, working at Jayanagar Subdivision office of Bescom in Bengaluru, stands first in possessing DA among 13 officials. According to the official statement, he owns immovable assets such as a site, a house, and land worth Rs 11.46 crore. The movable assets found on his seven premises are Rs 1.44 crore in cash, 3 kg gold, 28 kg silver, Rs 25 lakh worth of diamonds and antiques worth Rs 5 lakh. In all, a total of Rs. 15.53 crore worth of assets was found during the raid.

The Lokayukta police also searched four places linked to Yadgir District Health Officer Dr Prabhuling Mankar, a relative of BJP state president BY Vijayendra. His office and residence in Yadgir, a house and farmhouse in Kalaburagi were searched. Immovable property documents worth Rs 1 crore and movable assets worth Rs. 49.04 lakh (total value Rs. 1.49 crore) were found.

Articles and cash seized from the residence of BESCOM Executive Engineer H D Channakeshava in Bengaluru on Tuesday | EXPRESS

OTHER OFFICIALS WHOSE PREMISES WERE ALSO RAIDED

Thimmarajappa, Executive Engineer, Karnataka Road Infrastructure Development Ltd, Vijayapura. **Total: Rs 9 cr.**

HD Narayana Swamy, former VC, Karnataka Veterinary, Animal and Fisheries University, Bidar. **Total: Rs 8.90 cr.**

Mahadevaswamy MS, lecturer, Government 1st Grade College, Nanjangud. **Total: Rs 8.41 cr.**

TN Sudhakar Reddy, Deputy GM, Bescom Vigilance. **Total: Rs. 5.73 cr**

Munegowda, Deputy Director, Horticulture Department, Ramanagara. **Total: Rs. 5 cr.**

HS Krishnamurthy, Chief Executive (Secretary), KMF, Kanminike, Ramanagara. **Total: Rs. 4 cr.**

Basavaraj, Junior Engineer (Retd), Hescom, Hubballi. **Total: Rs 4.05 cr**

Sharanappa, Commissioner, City Municipal Council, Yadagir. **Total: Rs 2.05 crore**

Sunil Kumar, Accounts Assistant (Out source employee, now removed from the post), Controller of Finance office, Karnataka Veterinary, Animal and Fisheries University, Bidar. **Total: Rs 1.25 cr.**

B Maruthi, Deputy Range Forest Officer, Anegundi Division, Gangavathi. **Total: Rs 21 lakh.**

Chandrashekar Hiremani, Senior Geologist, Mines and Geology Dept, Ballari. **Total: Rs 10.72 lakh.**

CRIME PATROL

Mill operator injured in bomb explosion

Bengaluru: A 29-year-old man lost his fingers, on one of his hands after he picked a crude bomb stuffed in dough in Kodihalli police station limits of Ramanagara district. The victim, who worked as an operator at a rice mill picked up a ball-like object next to the mill to throw it, suspecting it to be black magic. However, the crude bomb exploded in his hand. The victim has been identified as M Naushad Pasha, a resident of Kanakapura. With the abundance of wild boars in the vicinity, unidentified men had stuffed the bomb inside the dough to scare away boars. The incident occurred on Saturday night around 7 pm near the Nanjundeshwara Rice Mill in Kanakapura. Pasha is undergoing treatment at the Sanjay Gandhi Hospital. A case under the Explosives Act has been registered.

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Maharashtra police have booked 40 people, including Shiv Sena leader Vijay Devane and other leaders of Maharashtra Ekikaran Samiti, for blocking road at Shinoli in Maharasahtra near the Karnataka border on Monday night. They were protesting against the Maharashtra government for not cooperating with them in the border dispute struggle

FIR AGAINST MLC, AIDES IN BJP WORKER STABBING INCIDENT

Legislator Hattiholi, brother of minister Laxmi Hebbalkar, denies involvement; MLA Ramesh Jarkiholi says cops under pressure

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Belagavi

THE incident of stabbing of BJP leader **Prithvi Singh** in Belagavi allegedly by the associates of MLC Channaraj Hattiholi, who is the brother of Women and Child Development Laxmi Hebbalkar, took a twist on Tuesday with the Belagavi police registering an FIR against the MLC and his associates Saddam and Sujit Jadhav.

Prithvi is a close associate of former minister and Gokak MLA Ramesh Jarkiholi.

On Monday, Prithvi was admitted to a private hospital in Belagavi after he sustained stab wounds. Later, Karnataka BJP president BY Vijayendra and several other party members visited him at the hospital demanding an investigation into the incident and the arrest of Hattiholi and his aides.

The APMC police in Belagavi registered the FIR based on a complaint filed by Jasvir, who is the son of Prithvi.

According to the complaint, Prithvi's house in Jayanagar in Belagavi was leased to Hattiholi during the 2018 Assembly election campaign but he did not abide by the lease agreement.

"After I joined BJP, I was elected to the state SC Morcha in the party unanimously. The relationship between Laxmi Hebbalkar and me has not been good since then. I had received threat calls after I joined the BJP. I submitted a complaint to the police commissioner on February 16, 2021. MLC Channaraj Hattiholi had insulted me verbally on December 4. Also, his associate Saddam attacked and stabbed my hand on Monday,'' the complaint adds. Meanwhile, the black car which was found parked near Prithvi's house in the CCTV camera footage was recovered by the police.

Even as Home Minister Dr G Parameshwara said in Belagavi on Tuesday that the police were investigating the matter to apprehend the culprits who stabbed Prithvi, Leader of Opposition in the Assembly R Ashoka said several such incidents were being reported in Karnataka in recent times.

Speaking to media outside Suvarna Vidhana Soudha on Tuesday, Ashok condemned the stabbing and said the Congress involved in goondagiri whenever it came to power in the state. "We have seen the violent incidents in Shivamogga as well. It seems all such violent incidents are being sponsored by the Congress. Already, state BJP chief BY Vijayendra met Prithvi (in hospital) and I am also going there. The Congress should initiate action against the guilty," he added.

Meanwhile, Parameshwara said that he was aware of the attack on the BJP leader and that he has directed the officials to investigate it. "I have asked the officials to gather information by scanning CCTV camera footage. I will speak on the incident once I get all the details from the officials about it,'' he added.

'DELAY' IN FIR QUESTIONED

BJP Gokak MLA Ramesh Jarkiholi said the police in Belagavi was under pressure from "Hyderabad" to not register an FIR in the stabbing incident. "An ADGP rank police officer from Bengaluru is also putting pressure on the local police to not register the FIR," Ramesh said, after visiting Prithvi in hospital. "FIR has not been registered even 24 hours after the stabbing. The police are working irresponsibly. If police continue to neglect the investigation, we will approach the High Court or the CBI," he added.

MLC DENIES INVOLVEMENT

MLC Channaraj Hattiholi has denied the involvement of his associates in the stabbing incident. "I am not so keen on doing politics by resorting to such violent attacks. A conspiracy is being hatched against me. My associates went to ask for some documents from Prithvi Singh as the house he is staying in now was my office earlier. The police should conduct a detailed probe. All the things that Prithvi claims are far from the truth. In the CCTV footage which has gone viral, Prithvi is wearing a different dress but he was found in a white shirt with blood stains in another video footage which he released. He is tarnishing my image," Hattiholi said.

Students visit the Suvarna Vidhana Soudha on Day-2 of the winter session of the state legislature, in Belagavi on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Don't open new liquor shops under guise of quota for SC/STs: BJP

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@ Belagavi

THE opposition BJP on Tuesday urged the state government not to issue licences to open new liquor shops on the pretext of offering reservation to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes.

While a majority of members from both the ruling and opposition parties expressed their concern over procedures followed in offering CL-7 licences to open bars and restaurants, Congress MLA PM Narendraswamy wanted to know from Excise Minister RB Timmapur if the government is serious about reserving licences to SC/STs. As the minister also belongs to the SC community, he should clarify the government stand, he added.

The minister admitted that SC/STs have got considerably fewer licenses under CL-2, CL-3, CL-7 and CL-9. He said that of the total 2,442 CL-7 licences, SCs have got only 96 and STs 68. SCs have got 65 licences each in CL-2 and CL-3 of the total 3,975 in each category. Under CL-9, 49 licences are issued to SCs and 39 to STs of the 3,925 total licenses. He said the government is firm on social justice and reserving licences to SC/STs, but this can only be done by bringing appropriate amendments to the existing law.

BJP member Sunil Kumar asked the minister whether the government is planning to issue fresh licences to open liquor shops in the guise of reservation. Opposition leader R Ashoka argued against the proliferation of bars only to reserve licences to SC/STs. He said BJP is not averse to reservation, but it should be done by not increasing the number of liquor shops.

During the question hour, Bangarpet MLA SN Narayanaswamy raised the issue of facilities being given to customers in CL-7 licensed liquor shops in his constituency and lapses in procedures followed in issuing licences. Several other members also expressed the same concern and demanded the government to announce a probe over granting CL-7 licences.

I cannot live without Arjuna, says mahout

BR UDAYA KUMAR
@Sakleshpur

Mahout Vinu cries inconsolably hugging the carcass of Arjuna | EXPRESS

"OH God, you should take my life also along with my Arjuna's… I cannot live without Arjuna," wept Vinu alias Vinod, the handler of Dasara elephant Arjuna who died fighting a rogue elephant during an elephant operation in Dabballi forest in Sakleshpur taluk on Monday.

Vinod, who was deeply attached to Arjuna, was crying till the majestic animal was laid to rest. Forest staff and police had to pacify Vinod and separate him from Arjuna, as he held on to his trunk. Vinod, said to be Arjuna's best handler, strictly followed instructions during elephant operations and at elephant camps, sources said.

Vinod broke down when Arjuna died and was shifted to HIMS Hospital in Hassan. The doctor discharged him to attend Arjuna's funeral, following a request by forest officials. Vinod, who was controlling Arjuna during the operation, jumped off and had a miraculous escape when the rogue elephant intensified its attack.

RAIL BARRICADES NEEDED: KHANDRE

BENGALURU: A day after the death of famed Dasara tusker Arjuna in Hassan during an elephant capture and radio collar operation, Forest, Environment and Ecology Minister Eshwar Khandre held a meeting with forest and district officials to address the issue of man-animal conflict in Belagavi. Khandre said that to combat man-elephant conflict, construction and extending the area of of rail barricades is required. He admitted that this was not happening because of lack of funds. However, with the Rs 100-crore allocation in the state budget, work is on, but is moving at a slow pace, he regretted. He urged the MLAs of the areas where there is conflict to approach the CM for more funds. Sharing details of the 43 human deaths since April, Khandre said 30 of them were due to elephant attack, and of this 10 were in Chamarajanagar, seven in Kodagu, three in Ramanagara and two each in Bengaluru and Hassan circle. One death was reported in Shivamogga. There have also been human deaths due to leopards, wild boar, sloth bear and tiger attacks. **ENS**

Villagers accuse foresters of negligence

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People pay tributes to howdah elephant Arjuna in Sakleshpur on Tuesday | EXPRESS

"WE had told forest staffers not to take him. Something told us it was not right. But no one listened to us. Forest officials said he was needed and took him away on November 23," they said. The mahouts and experts also pointed fingers at veterinarians and forest officials for darting their own camp elephant Prashanth, instead of the wild tusker. Locals and angry villagers staged a protest at the site, accusing forest officials of negligence. They demanded that Arjuna's last rites be done in Mysuru, as he had carried the golden howdah for eight years and was the pride of the Jumboo Savari.

Forest officials did not pay heed to their demand and completed the last rites in the area where the tusker had died. Arjuna was buried with state honours, and police fired three rounds as a mark of respect. Police had to resort to a mild lathicharge to disperse the agitated crowd.

Chief Conservator of Forests, Hassan, Ravishankar told *TNIE* that a postmortem was done and no bullet or dart injury was found on Arjuna. The wound referred to is what he got when he hit a tree stump, while the other injuries are a result of the rogue elephant charging at Arjuna with his tusks. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Hassan, said Vinu is upset and making such statements. "Arjuna died around 4pm Monday, but we were unable to go near his body because he was surrounded by wild tuskers. We could reach Arjuna's carcass only after daybreak on Tuesday, and his body had started to emit a foul smell. We had contacted the Mysuru royal family priest Prahalad, who had said the auspicious time for the last rites was between noon and 12.30pm, and until then, the body should not be touched. We decided to bury the carcass at the same location, however, his tusks were sent to the department depot."

Forest, Environment and Ecology Minister Eshwar Khandre said two memorials would be constructed in his honour — in Hassan and Mysuru.

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife, Subhash Malkhade said: "Wild elephant capture and radio collar operations are very risky. Wild elephants have crude power. Shooting an elephant is different compared to a leopard or tiger. A wild animal can be shot in two situations — self defence or on orders of the PCCF. Arjuna was our strongest camp elephant and our pride."

Speaker UT Khader plants a sapling near Suvarna Vidhana Soudha in Belagavi on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

RAYAREDDI GOES AFTER SPEAKER AGAIN

Congress member Basavaraj Rayareddi once again confronted Speaker UT Khader on Tuesday and walked out of the House when the latter refused to allow him to speak. As question hour continued even after one-and-half hours, Rayareddi tried to remind the Speaker by saying, "It is question hour, not question hours." He had said the same thing on Monday too. The Speaker shot back that the member need not preach after coming to the House an hour late. The Congress member said he was a senior member and had every right to speak his mind. Khader asked him to sit down, saying seniority does not matter. Rayareddi walked out, claiming it was futile to remain in the House if his views were not respected. Though some Congress members tried to stop him, Rayareddi walked out.

IN THE HOUSE

THREE BILLS TABLED IN ASSEMBLY

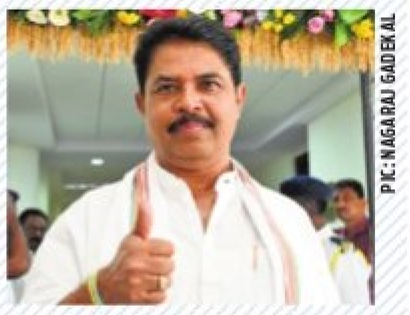
Belagavi: The Karnataka government on Tuesday tabled three Bills — Karnataka Compulsory Service by Candidates Completed Medical Courses (Amendment) Bill, 2023; Karnataka Gram Swaraj and Panchayat Raj (Amendment) Bill, 2023 and Karavali Development Board Bill, 2023. The Karnataka Compulsory Service by Candidates Completed Medical Courses (Amendment) Bill has been introduced to exempt candidates selected to Central and State government services from compulsory rural service and to restrict counselling and mandatory posting of doctors in the existing vacancies. Also, the State Government shall specify the amount to be paid as stipend.

'NO MINISTERS, NO COMMUNICATION'

Ministers remained absent on the second day of the session, irking Council Chairman Basavaraj Horatti to comment on the lack of communication from the ruling party, as he lashed out at them for not conveying who would reply on whose behalf. Ministers MB Patil and SS Mallikarjun abstained from the council, leaving Horatti snapping, "First of all the ministers don't attend the Council, and to add to this, I am not aware who is replying on whose behalf." When Congress members argued, he said he was not told who was representing whom, and warned that it should not repeat.

PVT INVESTMENT IN TOURISM SECTOR

Tourism Minister H K Patil informed the House that the government was considering private investment to build basic infrastructure in tourist places and maintain monuments. Patil said the government has identified 26 fields of tourism such as culture, tradition, adventure, ecology, entertainment and others, and wants to attract more tourists by providing necessary facilities. He said 25,000 monuments were identified and the government was exploring investments from private parties. On tourism in the coastal belt, the Speaker asked the minister to hold a joint meeting of stakeholders and suggested developing a 'coastal tourism circuit'.



PIC: NAGARAJ GADEKAL

OFFICERS YET TO REACH FARMERS, SAYS ASHOKA

R Ashoka, who made his maiden speech as LoP in the Assembly on Tuesday, alleged, "Crops in almost all taluks, excluding some 13 have dried due to drought. But, the government has failed to implement drought relief programmes. This government has not even reached the farmers to address their problems. We can understand that the CM and ministers cannot go to all places, but nodal officers have also failed to reach farmers. They did flying meetings but could not help farmers and are misleading the government without checking the ground reality."

₹820 crore UCO Bank scam: CBI searches 13 locations in Karnataka

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THE Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) searched 13 locations in Karnataka, including in Mangaluru, in connection with an alleged Rs 820 crore scam in UCO Bank. The sleuths searched the premises of the accused, including private individuals and bank officials, and recovered mobile phones, laptops, computer systems, email archives and debit/credit cards.

UCO Bank had filed a complaint against its two support engineers and other unknown persons, alleging that suspicious Immediate Payment Service (IMPS) transactions of approximately Rs 820 crore had been made. Between November 10 and 13, IMPS inward transactions originating from 14,000 account holders across seven private banks were directed to 41,000 account holders within UCO Bank through the IMPS channel. This intricate network involved a staggering 8,53,049 transactions and were mistakenly posted in the UCO Bank account holders' records, despite the originating banks registering failed transactions. Approximately Rs 820 crore allegedly found its way into UCO Bank accounts without proper debits from the originating banks' account holders, according to the press release from the office of the CBI.

It was also alleged that several account holders exploited this situation, illicitly withdrawing funds from UCO Bank through various banking channels, thereby benefiting wrongfully from the transaction.

'CM indulging in appeasement politics'

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FORMER CM Basavaraj Bommai and other senior BJP leaders accused Chief Minister Siddaramaiah of practicing vote bank and appeasement politics. Siddaramaiah's remarks that he will work to ensure that the Minorities get a share in national resources is nothing but vote bank and appeasement politics, he said. He was responding to the CM's remarks at a Minority leaders' convention in Hubballi. In the meeting, the CM said his government has allocated Rs 4,000 crore in the budget for the Minorities Welfare Department, and it will be increased each year to make it Rs 10,000 crore a year. Bommai said there are departments for Minorities like the Wakf Board, Minority Commission, and Minority Corporation which have been getting the funds through several programmes. "The funds reserved for SCs/STs, TSP, and SCP has been diverted to the guarantees and done injustice to those two oppressed communities," he said.

FROM CHICKPET TO SAHARA

This Bengalurean is now a BJP MLA in Rajasthan

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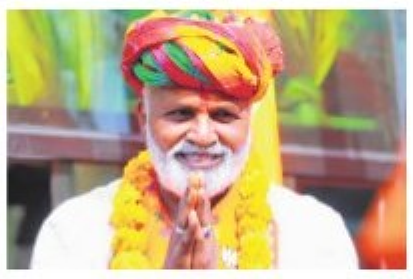
LADULAL Pitliya (52), first-time BJP MLA from the Sahara Assembly constituency in Rajasthan, started off as a worker at a garment shop in Bengaluru. Hailing from Rajasthan, he came to Bengaluru just after his tenth standard in search of work. Coming a long way since then, he now owns a mega garment business in Bengaluru.

In the Rajasthan Assembly elections, whose results were announced on Sunday, he won by a margin of 62,519 votes against a Congress candidate.

Narrating his journey, Pitliya, who is from a non-political family, said he came to Bengaluru in 1987 looking for a job. For four years, he worked as an assistant at a garment shop. "In 1992, I started a small retail shop in Mahalakshmi Layout and in 1994, moved to Chickpet, where I started a wholesale cloth business," he said.



Ladulal Pitliya

Pitiliya has been living in Bengaluru for the last 35 years and has his residence in Rajajinagar. "After I got a hold in my business, I started showing interest in social service and helping the needy. I first started in Bengaluru and expanded it to Rajasthan," he said.

Under his social service initiatives, he extends help to conduct funerals, arranges fodder for cattle and many more. His initiation into politics was in Bengaluru, but he started a full-fledged political career in Rajasthan. He manages to focus on politics as his son and brother-in-law are now taking care of his business interest in Bengaluru.

Having lived in the city for the last 35 years, he says he has a special love for the tech capital. "I like everything about Bengaluru. It is the most advanced city with technology and infrastructure. I will try to implement these in my constituency in Rajasthan," he said.

Asked why he did not contest elections from Karnataka or Bengaluru, he said there are seniors here. "Also, I wanted to contest from my hometown and do good for the people," he added.

He had lost the last Assembly elections in Rajasthan in 2018.

The Madras HC on Tuesday dismissed the petitions filed by VK Sasikala, a close aide of late CM J Jayalalithaa, challenging her removal from the post of interim AIADMK general secretary and upheld the orders of the civil court in rejecting her plaint and an application for amending the plaint

₹50L cheque handed over to Capt Pranjal's kin

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@ Bengaluru

A day after the BJP hit out at Chief Minister Siddaramaiah for not giving Rs 50 lakh compensation to the family of **Captain MV Pranjal** who was martyred recently in Jammu and Kashmir in November, the State Government on Tuesday handed over the cheque to Pranjal's family.

Taking to 'X', the CM said that as announced by his government, the compensation of Rs 50 lakh has been handed over to Pranjal's family.

"We have great respect for soldiers who risk their lives to protect the country, and we have the same respect and concern for the families of the soldiers," he said. Hitting out at BJP, the CM said, "In order to get some political mileage, a few are spreading false news. I only hope that God will give good sense to such people."

SIDDU SEEKS APOLOGY FROM TEJASVI

Siddaramaiah accused BJP MP Tejasvi Surya of misrepresenting his statement and circulating it on social media. "In the video, due to the background noise, the initial part of the reporter's question was not clear. When I realised the question pertained to the late Captain Pranjal, I not only asserted that the State Government is committed to providing compensation, but also said that if any other state has given a compensation of Rs 1 crore to the martyred soldiers, we are also ready to give the same amount," clarified Siddaramaiah in his official statement. He also uploaded the complete video and sought an apology from Tejasvi Surya.

Metal sheets delayed rescue

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Deputy Commissioner T Bhoobalan, SP Rishikesh Sonawane, ZP CEO Rahul Shinde rushed to the factory and oversaw the rescue operation. Only one worker was rescued during the operation. According to officials, heavy metal sheets of the containers hampered the rescue operation. Even earthmovers could not remove the mangled metal sheets, which were finally cut open with iron cutting tools. District in-charge minister MB Patil visited the factory on Tuesday morning. He said arrangements will be made to send the bodies of the workers to their native places in Bihar. An inquiry will be conducted into the incident. Action will be taken against those responsible for the incident based on the inquiry report, he added. The state government has announced a compensation of Rs 2 lakh each to the families of the deceased workers and Rs 1 lakh each to those injured seriously and Rs 50,000 to those who suffered minor injuries. Factory owner Kishor Kumar Jain announced that a compensation of Rs 5 lakh each to the families of the deceased workers and Rs 2 lakh to the injured workers will be paid. Police have filed an FIR against Kishor Jain and supervisor Praveenchandra Srivedi.

Michaung claims 17 lives in two days in Chennai

Rescue operations continue amid protests to restore power supply

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chennai

A man struggles to walk on a flooded street following heavy rain in Chennai on Tuesday | P JAWAHAR

SEVENTEEN people died in rain-related incidents in the city in the past two days. According to police, out of the 17 people, bodies of five persons is yet to be identified.

One of the deceased was a head constable attached to ICF police station, who drowned in floodwater in Kilpauk on Monday night.

According to police, Rukhmangadhan (38) was returning to his house at the police quarters in Lutheral Garden, Kilpauk, after duty.

The body was noticed by passersby, on On Tuesday morning. The police retrieved the body and sent it for postmortem. City police were on their toes taking part in relief operations rescuing people across Chennai, including film stars Aamir Khan and Vishnu Vishal at Karapakkam.

Officers were busy helping NDRF, SDRF and fire and rescue personnel in relief work. According to sources, Khan and Vishal, along with several others were were rescued by Tamil Nadu Fire and Rescue Services using a boat. Top police officials visited several inundated, including T Nagar and Triplicane which were badly hit, interacted with residents on Tuesday.

Residents of Alandur staged a protest at St Thomas Mount demanding restoration of power supply. They alleged that EB was diverting power supply to industries instead of residential areas.

Talking to TNIE, a senior police officer said, "We summoned the assistant engineer to the scene. But, on seeing him, the crowd grew agitated and alleged that he has been repeating this for several years. The police promised action and pacified the residents."

The officer added that similar protests were held at Nanganallur and other parts of the city.

Water enters houses

On the second day of the floods, most of the houses in North Chennai are flooded in knee-deep water. Around 100 residents at Shanthi Nagar in Vyasarpadi sat on the road in protest, alleging neither the ward councillor nor the MLA visited the area. There was a huge demand for daily essentials, as people stood in queue to buy milk packets. Power supply was cut even on Tuesday.

RENEWABLE ENERGY

K'taka looking at green corridor

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THE Karnataka government is looking at increasing the green energy corridor area for hydrogen energy, to increase the use of renewable energy and shift dependency from conventional fuel sources.

Energy Minister KJ George and the energy department have proposed this to the ministry of power, and pointed out that the area under solarisation in the state has increased under various schemes, and the government has also opened bids for 768MW of solar power generation.

Explaining the green energy corridor, a senior department official said there is a central government scheme, partly funded by the ministry, for setting up transmission lines exclusively meant for green energy. "This is not new. It has been going on. But since Karnataka leads in solar power generation and is working on other green energy, the state has asked for a larger area to be allocated for a green energy corridor for hydrogen energy and other renewable energy related projects. Hydrogen energy is the future of renewable energy and besides state governments working on it, globally too has gained centre stage," the official added.

It is like a grid and transmission network, and the generated energy is uploaded on the grid. Based on usage and necessity it is consumed and sold. There is no special allocation for any state, but is demand and supply driven, the official explained.

George's office, in a release, also shared that the government is working towards obtained green energy from the Yelahanka Combined Cycle Plant, which will be operational within six months. It said the government has added 1100 MW hybrid capacity from Solar Energy Corporation of India to meet the rising electricity demand.

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> Energy Dept Official

Porn during proceedings forces HC to suspend video conference

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court, which was one of the first high courts in the country to provide permanent video conferencing (VC) for hearing cases after the Covid breakout in 2020, suspended the facility and live streaming of court proceedings on Tuesday for cyber security reasons. Miscreants played obscene content in some of the court halls on Monday (Dec 4) afternoon by hacking into Zoom platform.

Though video conference hearings occurred for some time on Tuesday morning, they were stopped by the high court's administration after a complaint was filed with the city police. When the division bench of Chief Justice Prasanna B Varale and Justice Krishna S Dixit started the proceedings in the morning, Chief Justice Varale informed litigants and advocates in the court that an unfortunate situation had arisen and live-streaming and video conferencing had to be stopped. The HC issued a statement, saying, "Since there have been cyber security issues in the High Court for about two days while conducting proceedings in the court halls through VC, due to interception of the proceedings by the unknown miscreants, the High Court of Karnataka has decided to suspend the proceedings of all the three benches of the high court at Bengaluru, Dharwad and Kalaburagi through VC for the time being."

It said, "It is requested that the advocates, litigants/party-in-persons, media persons, and whoever appears through VC shall opt to appear physically until the VC proceedings are restored with new safeguards."

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Notice inviting Expression of interest (EOI) for improvement of recovery of desired minerals and on-site operator training for Mineral Separation Unit of KMML

EOI (Expression of Interest) from the leading experienced and knowledgeable Consultants/firm in the field of beach sand minerals is invited for improvement of recovery of desired minerals and on-site operator training as per the scope of work in the EOI documents for Mineral Separation Unit of KMML, Kovilthottam, Chavara, Kollam, Kerala. EOI documents and further details are available in the KMML Website. The last date of receipt EOI documents is before 4 pm 22.12.2023. Any corrigendum in the future will be notified only in the above KMML's web site only. **EOI Reference No: KMML/MS/P&Pj/66-TS/2023; Dated: 06/12/2023.**

Chavara 05.12.2023 Sd/- Managing Director for The Kerala Minerals and Metals Ltd

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.: SEE/Tr(M)/BMAZ(N)/EE(O)/AEE-3/F-98(12)/23-24/7065 Date: 04.12.2023

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through KPPP mode only)

KPTCL invites bid against Enquiry No.: KPTCL/SEE/TR(M)/BMAZ(N)/EE(O)/AEE-3/23-24/EPR-02 Dt: 20.05.2023 for the works of **"Procurement of copper control cable for usage at various sub-stations coming under BMAZ(N)-Call-2".** The detailed tender notification regarding the subject can be got by logging on or after **07.12.2023** to **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyper link 'e-procurement KPTCL' or to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Superintending Engineer, Elecl., Tr. (M),
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APPENDIX- IV-A
[See proviso to rule 9(1)]
Sale notice for sale of immovable property

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd., Uttarahalli Branch, will be sold by holding e-auction on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **27/12/2023,** for recovery of **Rs.80,04,686/-**(Rupees Eighty Lakhs Four Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty Six Only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from **Mr.Santosh Tiwary & Mrs.Asha Tiwari** (Borrowers) as on 05/12/2023, together with further interest and other charges thereon.

The reserve price will be **Rs.26,00,000/-**(Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.2,60,000/-** (Rupees Two Lakhs Sixty Thousand Only)

Description of the Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of the residential property bearing Flat No.G3, Ground floor, Suraj Lakshmi Apartments at property No.56/2,PID No.59/30/2/3,present municipal No.2/3,1st main road, Tata Silk Farm, Yediyur, Bangalore, Now property comes with in limits of BBMP Ward no.59 having super built up area of 483 Sqft, UDS of land admeasuring 300 sqft out of 4000 sqft (measuring East to West 80 feet and North to South 50 feet) along with Car parking building thereon bounded on the: East by : Property No.57/1, West by : Flat No.4,North by : Main Road, South by : Flat No.2.

Encumbrances : NIL

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of Can Fin Homes Ltd., (https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx). Link for participating in e-auction : www.bankeauctionwizard.com

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Ltd.

Date: 05.12.2023
Place : Bengaluru

UJVN LIMITED
H.O.: "UJJWAL", Maharani Bagh, G.M.S. Road, Dehradun-248006
Telephones: 0135-2763808, Fax: 0135-2763508
CIN No.U40101UR2001SGC025866, Website:www.ujvnl.com

Letter No:1193 Date: 04/12/2023

E- Tender Date Extension Notice No-02

Due to unavoidable reasons the dates of e-tender no 02/UJVNL/DGM(CD-II)/ Lakhwar /2023-24 for "Engagement of Project Management Consultant for Lakhwar MPP (300 MW) on River Yamuna" Uttarakhand are hereby extended as follows: -

Last Date for submission of bid document on website: 09.12.2023 up to 17:00 Hrs.

Last Date for submission of documents in Hard copy: 11.12.2023 up to 14:00 Hrs.

For fuller & further details, kindly visit e-procurement portal "https://uktenders.gov.in"

DGM(CD-II),CD&H

"AVOID WASTEFUL USE OF ELECTRICITY"

PUBLIC NOTICE

Under instructions from my client Alliance Business School, a Company incorporated under the provisions of Section 25 of the Companies Act, 1956 having its registered office at No.2 and 3, 2nd Cross, 36th Main, Dollars Scheme, BTM 1st Stage, Bengaluru 560 068, I hereby issue the following notice:

- My client is the absolute owner of the converted Land mentioned herein below in the annexed table.
- In respect of properties mentioned in the annexed table the original registered documents are not available with my client. It appears that the said documents are misplaced.
- While arranging the original documents recently, it was noticed by my client that the registered documents mentioned herein below in the annexed table are missing. The said registered original documents are not traceable.
- In this regard my client has already filed a Police complaint before the jurisdictional police, Anekal bringing to their knowledge about the missing of the original registered documents mentioned herein in the annexed table. The Police have registered the complaint in complaint No. PO012S230008117.
- In view of the same, I hereby call upon the General Public that, if anyone is in possession or if anyone comes across with the original documents mentioned herein below in the annexed table such person is requested to hand over the same to the undersigned Advocate to the address mentioned herein below. The said person shall be rewarded suitably.
- The undersigned also calls upon the General Public that if they have any claim in respect of the property mentioned in the annexed table, the same can be intimated to the undersigned within 7 days from today.
- If anyone comes in possession of the registered documents mentioned herein below, such person (s) is hereby warned not to misuse the said document. In the event of any such misuse, the person who misuses the said document, is solely responsible for civil and criminal prosecution.
- The General Public are hereby called upon to report if they have any genuine claim in respect of the properties mentioned herein below. In the event if anyone has any objections, such person (s) is hereby called upon to file objection with the undersigned advocate within 7 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which my client shall presume that there are no claims in respective of the below mentioned properties.

Survey No & Village	Document No.	Extent of Land	
27;Chikka Hagade Village	2844/1996-97	1 Acre 5 Guntas	1G Karab
	2846/1996-97	32 Guntas	1G Karab
	2850/1996-97	1 Acre 5 Guntas	1G Karab
	2851/1996-97	1 Acre 5 Guntas	1G Karab
28;Chikka Hagade Village	2843/1996-97	1 Acre 5 Guntas	2G Karab
	2845/1996-97	10 Guntas	2G Karab
	2847/1996-97	1 Acre 5 Guntas	2G Karab
	2848/1996-97	1 Acre 5 Guntas	2G Karab
	2849/1996-97	1 Acre 5 Guntas	2G Karab
54/2;Karpur Village	4304/1999-2000	27 Guntas	
54/3;Karpur Village	4303/1999-2000	34 Guntas	
55;Karpur Village	1471/1957-58	5 Acres 6 Guntas	
	2547/2007-08 (Confirmation Deed)		
	12255/2006-07 (Confirmation Deed)		
	548/1945-46		
60 & 171; Karpur Village	3239/1974-75	1 Acre 20 G (Sy. No. 60)	
		1 Acre 19 G (Sy. No. 171)	
60;Karpur Village	296/1998-99	1 Acre 20 Guntas	
	541/2002-03		
73/P5;Karpur Village	4522/2003-04	15 Guntas	
73/P6;Karpur Village	4523/2003-04	20 Guntas	

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BE IT KNOWN TO ALL that our client(s) intend(s) to purchase the below-mentioned Schedule Property from – **(1) Sri. Anand T.V.** and **(2) Smt. Nagaveni**, who had purchased the same from - **(1) Sri. Paramashivaiah, (2) Sri. T.V. Kempegowda, (3) Sri. T. A. Murthy,** and **(4) Sri. Darshan Gowda T.U.** under a **Registered Sale Deed dated 20-01-2023** which was registered as **Document No.TVR-1-04016-2022-23** of **Book-I** and stored in **CD No.TVRD1282** in the Office of the **Sub-Registrar, Jayanagar (Tavarekere), Bangalore.**

Any person(s) / bank(s) / institution(s) objecting to the proposed sale or asserting any manner of lawful right, title, interest or share over the Schedule Property or part thereof is/are required to lodge their objections/claims preferably with photo-copies of documents based on which they object to the said sale or stake their claim, by registered post with A/D so as to reach at the below-mentioned address within 15 (fifteen) days from the date of this publication, failing which our client(s) shall proceed to purchase the Schedule Property as if there are no claims of any nature thereon, and all claims even if existing, shall be deemed to have been waived off / abandoned.

Any objections / claims received after the said period, or personal representation(s) or communication by any other mode, shall not be considered / entertained under any circumstances.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL of the converted lands to the extent of 35 Guntas in Sy.No.50 of Puradapalya Village, Tavarekere Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on the:

EAST by : Lands belonging to Sri. Ramegowda;
WEST by : Portion of the lands in Sy. No.50 sold by the Vendors to Smt. Krutika B.S.;
NORTH by : Brahmalingeshwara Layout;
SOUTH by : Lands belonging to Sri. Byralingaiah.

ABHAY KUMAR P. JAIN & V. RAMKUMAR, Advocates
LexJuris, No. 202, PANCHARATHNA RACE-VIEW APARTMENTS,
No. 15/1, 6th Cross, Gandhinagar, Bangalore-560 009.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Karnataka (Constituted by MoEFCC, Government of India) has accorded the Environmental Clearance for the Proposed Residential Development at Sy. Nos. 176/1 of Kaggalipura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru Urban by M/s. Ameliorate Realtors Private Limited, vide EC Identification No. EC23B038KA139324 & File No. SEIAA 190 CON 2023 dated 01.12.2023. The said copy of Environmental Clearance is available in the PARIVESH website (https://parivesh.nic.in).

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Cancellation of Sale Notice

In Respect of the Sale Notice published in this newspaper on **19.11.2023** pertaining to **Borrower Name :M/s Pegasi Spirits Pvt. Ltd.(Formerly known as 3 Aces Hospitality Pvt. Ltd.)** The said Sale Notice is Cancelled due to Technical reasons.

Date : 05.12.2023 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place: Bangalore Canara Bank

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify the General Public that our clients (1) Mr. A.Majeed and 2) Mr. A. Aziz Qader both sons of late A.Qader Adam are the owners in possession and enjoyment of the Schedule Property. The Schedule Property is the subject matter of litigation in R.S.A.No.1656/ 2009, pending before the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka and R.A.No.288/2012 pending on the file of the Civil Judge (Sr. Dvn) Bengaluru Rural District. Our clients have reliably learnt that the family of Mr. Syed Asif, S/o. Late Syed Abdul Sattar along with his other associates including M/s. G.K. Developers represented by its Partners Sri. G.C. Jagan mohan, Sri. Kishore, Sri. V.Yogananda, Sri. M.Devendra Naidu, Sri. R.Jathesh and Sri. Kishore Naidu are trying to alienate and encumber the Schedule Property. The General Public is hereby notified that any person dealing with the above persons or the Schedule Property or entering into any transaction with the Schedule Property shall be doing so at his/her/their own risk and consequence without in any manner affecting the rights of our clients and all such transactions shall be null and void in the eyes of law.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of land comprised in Sy.No.70/1, now Sy.No.70/3, measuring 1 Acre and situated at Pattandur Agrahara Village, K.R.Puram, now Bengaluru East Taluk and bounded on:

East by : Private Property (Muniyappa's land);
West by : Private Property (Kotappa, Ramaiah & others lands);
North by : portion of the land of our clients in Sy.No.70/1 and thereafter Road;
South by : Private Property (Boorangana's land).

Sri. Abhinav Ramanand, Advocate,
M/s. Kumar & Kumar, Central Chambers,
F-113, 3rd Floor, 2nd Main, Gandhinagar,
Bengaluru – 560 009

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our clients have negotiated to purchase the property scheduled below, from its present owner 1).Mr. B.R. Satish 2). Mrs. B.R. Latha and 3). Mrs. Shashikala, all are children of Late. M.V. Rudrachar, residing at No.41, 1st Main Road, Attiguppe, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru- 560 040. besides the agreement holders 1)Mr. B. Vekatesh, S/o. Sri Bairappa, 2).Mr. K.R. Mohan Kumar, S/o Late K. Rangaiah Setty, 3). Mr. Nagaraj .P, S/o Sri. Puttabasavaiah, residing at No.6,1st B Main Road, West of Chord Road, Shivanagar, Bengaluru-560 010. We are investigating their title, on behalf of our clients.

Objections to the proposed transaction and claims, if any, in relation to the schedule property, may be lodged with the undersigned in writing, with the supporting documents, **within (7) days,** from the date of the publication of this notice, failing which, our clients will proceed to conclude the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Land bearing Survey No.29/1, Measuring 0.21.00 Gunta. (Twenty One Gunta) Situated at **SONNENAHALLI VILLAGE,** Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bengaluru, and bounded as follows: **East by:** Private of Rajanna, **West by:** Remaining Property in same Survey No acquired by the BDA, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Remaining Property in same Survey No acquired by the BDA.

Measuring 0-21.00 Gunta (Twenty One) of Land.

N. BASAVARAJ, V.K. MANJUNATHA REDDY, V.G. VENKATA REDDY, Advocates
No.2, Mourya Mansion, Ground floor, 1st Cross, 1st Main Road, Gandhinagar,
Bengaluru-560 009. Ph 99023 56999
Email: nbrgowda@gmail.com
Date: 05/12/2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform General Public, my Client **M P JYOTHI,** W/o Late Arun Kumar residing at No. 403, 17th Main Road, 36th Cross, 4th T Block Jayanagar, Bangalore - 560041 is the owner of Property bearing No.219 D, situated at Bogadi, (S B M Bank Employees layout) Mysore, MUDA Approved, measuring East to West 15 Mtrs., North to South 24 Mtrs., totally 360 Square Meters, bounded on East by : Site No.218, West by : Site No. 220, North by : Layout Border, South by : Road.

My client hereby declares that the above said property Original Sale Deed Register No. MYS-1-02746/05-06, dated 28-05-2005, C.D.No.MYSD46, in the office of the Sub Registrar, Mysore (South) and Khatha certificate No.825 pages 38, Book-2, dated 14-06-2023. issued by MUDA are misplaced/lost while taking Xerox copies within the limits of Jayanagr Police Station, Bangalore, even after thorough search I was not able to locate the same. In this behalf lodged online police complaint Vide Serial No. 832973, Vide Lost Report No. 0832973/2023 dated 03-12-2023.

My client have lodged police complaint in this behalf and if anybody finds / traces the said original documents, it is requested to contact and handover to the under signed immediately and the finder will be suitably rewarded.

(M P JYOTHI) Property owner
Mobile No: 9448364054
SHIVANNA, Advocate
No.24 12th Main Road, 4th Block East,
Jayanagar, (Near Sub-Registrar Office),
BANGALORE-560 011. Ph: (M) 9901507257
Bangalore, Date: 05-12-2023

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA, "e"-PROCUREMENT NOTICE

WORKS DEPARTMENT

B-1384 E-mail : ceworldbankprojects@gmail.com

Bid Identification No. CE-W.B.P. (O) - 41 / 2023-24

1. The Chief Engineer (World Bank Project), Odisha on behalf of Governor of Odisha invites percentage rate bid in double cover system in **ONLINE MODE** from eligible contractors for construction of Road & Bridge work as detailed below
2. Nature of work : **Bridge work**
3. No. of work : 01 no.
4. Tender cost : **Rs.10,000.00 (on-line)**
5. Class of Contractor : Special/ Super Class Contractor
6. Available of bid document in the website : From 10.00 AM of 05.12.2023 to 5.00 PM of 02.01.2024
7. Pre - Bid meeting : **Dt.12.12.2023**
8. Date of opening of Bid : Dt.03.01.2024 at 11.30 AM
9. The Bidders have to participate in **ONLINE** bidding only. Further details can be seen from the website https://tenderodisha.gov.in . Any addendum / corrigendum / cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.

Sd/-
Chie Engineer
World Bank Project, Odisha

OIPR-34003/11/0070/2324

KARNATAKA STATE FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Branch Office: No.1179/1, Near Ring Road, S.Nijalingappa Layout, DAVANGERE- 577 004
Ph No.: 08192-225660 e-mail:dvg.ksfc@karnataka.gov.in. Website:ksfc.gov.karnataka.in

ASSETS FOR SALE THROUGH E- AUCTION

The primary assets of the following units which have been taken over under section 29 of SFC's Act are available for sale on "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" through E-AUCTION:

1. **M/s. BMR Rice Inds,** KIADB Hanagawadi Industrial Area, Harihara, Davanagere Dist
(ID No KSFC/2023-24/AUCTION 18) (Rs. in lakhs)

Description of the property	Reserve Price	EMD Amt.	Date of inspection
Land & Building: Plot No. 38, Sy No 91, measuring: 1 acre (4047sq.mtrs.,), KIADB HANAGAWADI Industrial Area, NH-4, Harihara, Davanagere Dist. Together with building/s thereon .i.e incomplete main rice mill building, compound wall etc.,	361.10	36.11	13.12.2023 11.30 AM to 1.00 PM

2. **M/s. Hiran Enterprises,** KIADB Hanagawadi Industrial Area, Harihara,Davanagere Dist
(ID No KSFC/2023-24/AUCTION 19) (Rs. in lakhs)

Description of the property	Reserve Price	EMD Amt.	Date of inspection
Land & Building: Plot No. 47, Sy No 91, measuring: 1012sq.mtrs(10893.43 sfts), KIADB HANAGAWADI Industrial Area, N H-4. Harihara, Davanagere Dist. Together with building/s thereon .i.e main factory shed/building-GF &FF,labour quarters,office room, compound wall etc.,	100.80	10.08	13.12.2023 11.30 AM to 1.00 PM

The last date and Time to submit the query is 04-01-2024. at 4.00 PM. The last date and time to confirm participation of interest in auction and to submit EMD through E-Portal is 2.00 PM on 05-01-2024. The E-Auction will commence on 08-01-2024 at 11.00 am and closes on 11-01-2024 at 4.00 PM. Terms & conditions of sale through e- auction are detailed in website https://www/Kppp.karnataka.gov.in or www.ksfc.gov.karnataka.in and the interested bidders are advised to visit the aforesaid websites. For more details on participation of e-auction, please contact e-procurement help desk No.80460-10000 / 80689 48777 and may also contact our Branch Office.

Date : 05.12.2023
Place : Davangere **Sd/- BRANCH MANAGER**

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, P.H. DIVISION, ANGUL

Ph. (06764) 296431 , Email-eephangul@yahoo.in

C-2011 GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA

Bid Identification No.EE PH Division Angul- 18 / 2023-24 dt.29.11.2023

1.	Name of the work	:	02 (two) nos double bid system
2.	Type of Bid	:	Double Bid System
3.	Estimated Cost	:	**₹201.941akhs & ₹215.81 lakhs**
4.	Period of completion	:	06 (six) months
5.	Date & time of availability of bid document in the portal	:	From 11.00AM of 06.12.2023 to 5.00 PM of 21.12.2023
6.	Last date / time of receipt of bids in the portal	:	5.00 PM of 21.12.2023
7.	Date & time of opening of technical bid	:	At 11.00 AM of 22.12.2023
8.	Name & address of the Officer Inviting Bid.	:	**Executive Engineer, P.H. Division, Angul**
9.	The bidders have to participate in ONLINE bidding only. Further details can be seen from the website: https://tendersodisha.gov.in. Any addendum/ corrigendum/cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.		

Sd/- (Er. Prasanta Behera)
Executive Engineer, P.H. Division, Angul.
OIPR-13056/11/0005/2324

EAST COAST RAILWAY

(1) ST-OT-AMC-EI-ANSALDO-357,
Dt. 29.11.2023

Name of Work: PROVISION FOR COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL MAINTENANCE CONTRACT FOR ELECTRONIC INTERLOCKING SYSTEMS MAKE M/S ANSALDO STS TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS INDIA PVT. LTD., BANGALORE (M/S HITACHI RAIL STS INDIA PVT. LTD.) IN KHURDA ROAD DIVISION OF EAST COAST RAILWAY FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS.

Tender Value: ₹6,87,95,706.06, **EMD:** ₹4,94,000/-, Cost of Tender Document: ₹11,800/- (including 18% GST).

(2) ST-OT-AMC-IPS-HBL-358,
Dt. 29.11.2023

Name of Work: PROVISION FOR COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL MAINTENANCE CONTRACT OF SMPS BASED INTEGRATED POWER SUPPLY SYSTEMS MANUFACTURED BY M/S HBL POWER SYSTEMS LIMITED IN KHURDA ROAD DIVISION FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS.

Tender Value: ₹1,00,70,213.76, **EMD:** ₹2,00,400/-, Cost of Tender Document: ₹5,900/- (including 18% GST).

Bidding Start Date: 07.12.2023 (for both tenders), **Date & time of Tender Closing:** 21.12.2023 at 1100 hrs. (for both tenders).

No manual offers sent by Post/Courier/Fax or in person shall be accepted against such e-Tenders, even if these are submitted on firm's letter head and received in time. All such manual offers shall be considered invalid and shall be rejected summarily without any consideration. Complete information including e-Tender documents of the above e-Tenders is available in website **www.ireps.gov.in**

Note:- The prospective tenderers are advised to revisit the website 15 days before the date of closing of tender to note any changes/ corrigenda issued for this tender.

Divisional Railway Manager (S&T)/
PR-849/O/23-24 Khurda Road

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF SPACE
INDIAN SPACE RESEARCH ORGANISATION
ISRO TELEMETRY TRACKING AND COMMAND NETWORK (ISTRAC), CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE GROUP

Plot No. 12 & 13, 3rd Main, 2nd Phase, Peenya Industrial Estate,
Bengaluru-560058. Ph: 080-28094196, 4184, 4541, 4542 Fax: 080-28094180

BRIEF E-TENDER NOTICE

1. On behalf of President of India, **Item rate E-Tender** is invited from Contractors of appropriate class for the following works.

NIT No.	**ISTRAC/CMG/MAINT/C/ ETN-68/2023-24, dated 05.12.2023**
Name of work	**Annual service contract for upkeeping of external environment at SCC Campus, ISTRAC, Bengaluru**
Estimated Cost put to tender	**Rs. 52.60 Lakhs**
Tender document details	**E-tender**
Period of completion	**12 months (Department reserves the right to extend the contract for a further period of 24 months)**
Period during which the tender document can be downloaded	**06.12.2023 to 27.12.2023**
Bid clarification	**06.12.2023 to 28.12.2023**
Last date and time of reply to bid clarification	**Up to 16.30 hrs. on 29.12.2023**
Last date and time for receipt of tenders	**Up to 14.30 hrs. on 01.01.2024**
Due date and time of opening of tenders	**11.30 hrs. onwards on 02.01.2024**
EMD	**Rs. 1.05 Lakhs**

2. Interested tenderers may please refer Detailed Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) for eligibility criteria and other details in website **www.isro.gov.in** and download the tender documents from **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**

Sd/- Group Head, CMG

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

Overseas Branch (Bangalore Central)

No. 41/2, Vijaya Towers, M-1 Floor, M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001.
Tel : 080-25011214 / 568 / 354 / 720, E-mail : vjboan@bankofbaroda.co.in

NOTICE TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002

At your request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its **Bank of Baroda, Overseas Branch (Bangalore Central),** the relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way deposit of title deeds are furnished hereunder.As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrowers in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served/not acknowledged, this publication is now issued.

Name & address of the Borrower/Co-Borrower/Mortgagor: 1) M/s. I-Lifestyle and Textile Pvt. Ltd., Flat No.F-205, Keerthi Harmony Apartment, Raghavendra Circle, Ramamurthy Nagar, Bangalore-560010. **2) M/s. I-Lifestyle and Textile Pvt. Ltd.,** First Floor, Plot No.321, 8th Cross, Peenya Industrial Area, 4th Phase, Peenya, Bangalore-560058. **3) M/s. I-Lifestyle and Textile Pvt. Ltd.,** No.G-75, Sector D-1, Pocket-2, Apparel Park, UPSIDC, Tronica City, Loni, Ghaziabad, New Delhi-201103. **2) Mr. Tarun Jain,** S/o. Mr. Kewal Prakash Jain, Flat No. F-13/3, Upper Ground Floor, Model Town Part-2, Near Naini Jheel, North West Delhi, New Delhi-110009. **3) Mrs. Shivani Jain,** W/o. Mr. Tarun Jain Flat No.F-13/3, Upper Ground Floor, Model Town Part-2, Near Naini Jheel, North West Delhi, New Delhi-110009.

Nature & Type of facility	Limit (Rs.) in lakhs	Rate of Interst	O/s as on 27.11.2023 (inclusive of interest up to 30.09.2023)
Cash Credit	Rs. 1500.00	10.75%	Rs. 11,90,69,343.75

Description of Property: Various security and financial documents executed by Borrower / Guarantor dated 21.11.2022 along with Hypothecation of Stock and Book Debts & Other Current Assets of the company and Mortgage created by way of Deposit of Title Deeds of all the piece and parcel of immovable property dated 09.12.2022 as detailed below.

1) EM of Residential Vacant Plot No.CC-27 having 250 sq.mtrs., situated in Housing Sector C-1, Ansal East End, within Industrial Township at Trans Delhi Signature City, Tehsil Loni, Dist. Ghaziabad standing in the name of Mr. Tarun Jain.

2) EM of Residential Flat bearing no.GF-01 on Ground Floor having super builtup area of 1240 sq.ft. in Antriksh Greens Apartments built on plot no.GH-248 situated in Kaushambi, Ghaziabad, Tehsil & District – Ghaziabad standing in the name of Mr. Tarun Jain.

3) EM of Residential Flat bearing no.P-03 on 13th Floor having super builtup area of 4200 sq.ft. in Antriksh Greens Apartments built on plot no.GH-248 situated in Kaushambi, Ghaziabad, Tehsil & District – Ghaziabad standing in the name of Mr. Tarun Jain.

4) Fixed Deposit of Rs.15.00 lakhs in the name of the company under LIEN with Bank.

Amount Outstanding: Rs. 11,90,69,343.75 (Rupees Eleven crores ninety lakhs sixty nine thousand three hundred forty three and paise seventy five only) with interest and other Charges thereon.

NPA Date: 27.11.2023 **Demand Notice Date: 29.11.2023**

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13 you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law.

Date : 05.12.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore. **Bank of Baroda**

ಪುರಸಭಾ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ–ವಿಜಯಪುರ

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂ.: 080- 27666100
ಇ–ಮೇಲ್: itstaff_ulb_vijaypura@yahoo.co.in , ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್: www.vijayapuratown.gov.in

ನಂ.: ಪುವಿ/ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ/ಸಿಆರ್/ಟೆಂಡರ್/2023–24 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 02/12/2023

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ (ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ)

ಮುಖ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಪುರಸಭೆ ವಿಜಯಪುರ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ ಇವರಿಂದ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ 2023–24 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಎಸ್ ಎಫ್ ಸಿ 2023–24 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಮುಕ್ತ ನಿಧಿ, ಎಸ್‌ಸಿಎಸ್‌ಪಿ, ಟಿಎಸ್‌ಪಿ ಪುರಸಭೆ ನಿಧಿ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯೂಮೆಂಟ್–01 ಮತ್ತು 02 ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ್ನು ಏಕ–ಲಕೋಟೆ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಡಿ ಅರ್ಹ ದರ್ಜೆಯನ್ನು ನೋಂದಾಯಿತ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಕ್ರ.ಸಂ.	ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ	ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ (ರೂ. ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ)	ಇಎಂಡಿ ರೂ.ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ	ಮೀಸಲಾತಿ
01	INDENT NO:-DMA/2023-24/WS/WORK_INDENT-8069	5.76	14400	OTHER
02	INDENT NO:- DMA/2023-24/RD/WORK_INDENT-7977	1.80	4500	OTHER
03	INDENT NO:- DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT-7976	1.44	3600	OTHER
04	INDENT NO:- DMA/2023-24/ RD/WORK_INDENT-7796	2.40	6000	OTHER
05	INDENT NO:- DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT-7720	2.31	2900	SC
06	INDENT NO:- DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT-7720	10.51	13200	ST
07	INDENT NO:-DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT-7615	5,00	12500	OTHER
08	INDENT NO:-DMA/2023-24/ BD/WORK_INDENT-8702	6,00	15000	OTHER
09	INDENT NO:-DMA/2023-24/BD/WORK_INDENT-8142	30,48	31480	SC
10	INDENT NO:- DMA/2023-24/SE/WORK_INDENT-1524	13.44	39700	OTHER

(1) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಾಖಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟ್‌ಲ್ **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ನಿಂದ ಡೌನ್‌ಲೋಡ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದು. (2) ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ 01 ರಿಂದ 09 ರ ವರೆಗೆ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ನಮೂನೆ ಕೋರಿ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ, ಸಮಯ: **16/12/2023ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 17:30 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ.** (3) ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ 01 ರಿಂದ 09 ರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ನಮೂನೆಗಳನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ, ಸಮಯ: **18/12/2023 ರಂದು ಬೆಳಗ್ಗೆ 11:00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಅಥವಾ ನಂತರದ ಕೆಲಸದ ದಿನ.** (4) ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ 10 ರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ನಮೂನೆ ಕೋರಿ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ, ಸಮಯ: **11/12/2023 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 17:30 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ.** (5) ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ 10 ರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ನಮೂನೆಗಳನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ, ಸಮಯ: **13/12/2023 ರಂದು ಬೆಳಗ್ಗೆ 11:00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಅಥವಾ ನಂತರದ ಕೆಲಸದ ದಿನ.**

ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಕಛೇರಿಯ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಶಾಖೆಯಿಂದ ಅಥವಾ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಯಾವುದೇ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಮತ್ತು ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಮಾತ್ರ ತಿಳಿಯುವುದು.

ಸಹಿ/– (ವಿಮಲ ಬಸವರಾಜು)
ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು
ಪುರಸಭೆ, ವಿಜಯಪುರ.

ಸಹಿ/– (ಎಂ. ಕೇಶವಪ್ಪ)
ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು
ಪುರಸಭೆ, ವಿಜಯಪುರ

ಸಹಿ/– (ಸಂತೋಷ್ ಜಿ. ಆರ್.)
ಮುಖ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿ
ಪುರಸಭೆ, ವಿಜಯಪುರ.

ವಾಸಾಸಂಇ/ಬೆಂಗ್ರಾ/2417/
ಮಣಿಪಾಲ್/2023–24

RAIL COACH FACTORY, KAPURTHALA

On-line bids are invited by PCMM, RCF on behalf of President of India for following items:-

Sr. No.	Tender No. / Due Date	Description	Qty.(Nos./ Sets)	EMD (Rs.)
1.	17231372A/27.12.23	Absorption Strip (Decoupling EPDM Rubber) for Flooring	47187 Nos	20,00000/-
2.	14231259/28.12.2023	AL. Chequered Sheet 2.03x1250x3000MM	34631 Kgs.	269620/-
3.	17231134A/28.12.2023	Air Inlet Duct For LHB AC 2T	100 Nos	11,67,090/-
		Air Inlet Duct For LHB AC3T	241 Nos	
4.	17231329A/22.12.2023	Cable Duct, L=3M	5039 Nos	53,330/-
5.	14231260/26.12.2023	HPL Sheet 3x1220x2440MM	8574 Nos	238360/-
6.	17231475A/26.12.2023	Supply Installation Testing and Commissioning of Automatic Smoke/Fire Detection with Alarm System on Retro Fitment Basis in Existing 3 Phase EMU Rakes	282 Sets	50,00,000/-
		Supply Installation Testing and Commissioning of Automatic Smoke/Fire Detection with Alarm System on Retro Fitment Basis in Existing 3 Phase EMU Rakes	100 Sets	
		Supply Installation Testing and Commissioning of Automatic Smoke/Fire Detection with Alarm System on Retro Fitment Basis in Existing 3 Phase EMU Rakes	27 Sets	
		Supply Installation Testing and Commissioning of Automatic Smoke/Fire Detection with Alarm System on Retro Fitment Basis in Existing 3 Phase EMU Rakes (Pre-Bid meeting date 15.12.2023 at time 15:30 hrs.)	15 Sets	
7.	01231232/29.12.2023	Set of Axle END Cover For LHB Bogies	1627 Set	184310/-
8.	02231396/26.12.2023	Switch Board Cabinet	717 Nos	20,00,000/-
9.	02231133/15.12.2023	Switch Plate Assembly Along With Mobile Charging Socket for LHB SCN Coaches	289 Set	NIL
10.	07231219A/29.12.2023	Assembly of Special Hammer Head Screw M8x30, as per Drg. LW 44373 Alt 'c'	324600 Nos	61150/-
11.	05231631/22.12.2023	Partition Frame set	121 Sets	4,89,920/-
12.	01231327/22.12.2023	Centering Disc	14021 Nos	2,31,630/-
13.	05231659/27.12.2023	Cross Member	4620 Nos	208800/-
14.	04231123/03.01.2024	Ferritic Steel Coil	17124 kgs (four types)	61,330/-
15.	04231129/09.01.2024	Seamless S.S. Tube	4778 Mtrs (Two Types)	NIL

1. For details and making On-line bids, visit Website **http://ireps.gov.in.** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in**. Class IIIb digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at **http://www.cce.gov.in**
2. Tenders will close at **14.25 HRS.** on due date and tender will be opened at **14.30 HRS**. Tenders Sr. No.1 to 6 will be open at RCF Kapurthala and **Sr. No. 7 to 15** will be opened at Tilak Bridge, New Delhi.
3. For queries, contact IREPS Help desk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF help desk at 011-23378658.

Note: GST Number of RCF is 03AAAGM0289C1ZT. All the suppliers are advised to quote this in dispatch documents for the supplies made by them.

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CORRIGENDUM

Bidders may please note the following changes against **1. Tender No. 7231285** Existing Entry Quantity 109 Set should be read as **136 Set** Existing Entry Earnest Money Rs.57,800.00 should be read as **Rs.72,120.00 2. Tender No. 17231515 due on 01.12.2023** for Supply and Fitment of Complete Furnishing of LHB AC RA Coach On Trunkey Basis. 01 Existing Due Date 01.12.2023 should be read as **12.12.2023 3. Tender No. 17231158A due on 30.11.2023** for procurement of Electro-Pneumatic Pressurised Flushing System for LHB Coaches. 01 Existing Due Date 30.11.2023 should be read as **08.12.2023 4. Tender No. 14231166 due on 30.11.2023.** Existing entry Due Date 30.11.2023 should be read as **15.12.2023 5. Tender No. 14231147 due on 29.11.2023.** Existing entry Due Date 29.11.2023 should be read as **11.12.2023.** Specification has been revised Existing entry Quantity (I) 39783 Sqm (P.L. No.33541887) should be read as (I) 42286 Sqm (P.L. No. 33541887) (ii) 22429 Sqm (P.L. No.33542119) should be read as (ii) 23918 Sqm (P.L. No. 33542119) Existing entry EMD Rs.931480/- should be read as Rs.991770/-

No. : 129-S/2023-24 **Dated: 05.12.2023**

Aadhar Housing Finance Ltd.

Corporate Office : Unit No.802, Natraj Rustomjee, Western Express Highway and M.V.Road, Andheri (East), Mumbai- 400069
Kr Puram Branch : Office No. 1218, 2nd Floor, Pooja Complex, Old Madras Road, K R Puram, Bangalore-560036,(KA).

E- AUCTION – SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of immovable Properties under the Securitizationand Reconstruction of Financial Asset and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged,possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Kr Puram Branch** of Aadhar Housing Finance Limited will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and " Whatever there is"** with no known encumbrances Particulars of which are given below:-

Sl No.	Borrower(s) / Co-Borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Description of the Immovable property	Reserve Price (RP)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) (10% of RP)	Nature of possession
1.	Loan Code No : 21400001224 Kr Puram Branch) Narsingh Yadav (Borrower) Sangeetha Devi (Co Borrower)	11-06-2023 ₹ 19,60,867.00	28 C Plot No 4 Old Katha No 28 C Khata No 3 Rd Main Kuvenpura Nagar Vijinapura Pr Op No 22 Vijinapura Kothur , Bengaluru - 560016, Karnataka. Bounded on **East by :** Private Property, **West by :** Road, **North by :** House Site No.5 and **South by :** House Site No.3.	₹ 47,02,500.00 (Rupees Forty Seven Lakhs Two Thousand Five Hundred Only)	₹ 4,70,250.00 (Rupees Four Lakhs Seventy Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Only)	Physical

1. Last Date of Submission of DD of Earnest Money Deposit along with KYC, Tender Form and accepted Terms and conditions (Tender Documents) is **21.12.2023 within 5:00 PM** at the Branch Office address mentioned herein above or uploaded on **https://bankeauctions.com**. Tenders documents received beyond last date will be considered as invalid tender and shall accordingly be rejected. No interest shall be paid on the EMD.
2. Date of Opening of the Bid/Offer (Auction Date) for Property is **22.12.2023 on https://bankeauctions.com at 3:00 PM.**
3. AHFL is not responsible for any liabilities whatsoever pending upon the property as mentioned above. The Property shall be auctioned on **'As Is Where Is Basis', 'As Is What Is Basis' and 'Whatever Is There Is Basis'.**
4. The Demand Draft Should be made in favorof 'Aadhar Housing Finance Limited' Only.
5. Auction/bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the website **https://bankeauctions.com**. Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.
6. The intending bidders should register their names at portal M/s C 1 INDIA PVT LTD through the link **https: //bankeauctions. com/registration/ signup,** and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider M/s C 1 INDIA PVT LTD through the website **https://bankeauctions.com**
7. For further details contact Authorised Officer of Aadhar Housing Finance Limited, **Manjunatha K R, Branch (Contact No. 9480074594)** OR the service provider M/s C 1 INDIA PVT LTD, **Mr. Prabhakaran (Contact No. +91 7418281709), E-mail:tn@c1india.com & support@ bankeauctions.com, Mobile No:+917291981124 /25 /26**. As on date, there is no order restraining and/or court injunction AHFL/the authorized Officer of AHFL from selling, alienating and/or disposing of the above immovable properties/secured assets.
8. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in Aadhar Housing Finance Limited (AHFL), secured creditor's website i.e. www.aadharhousing.com.
9. The Bid incremental amount for auction is **Rs.1000/-.**

Place : Kr Puram **Authorised Officer**
Date : 06.12.2023 **Aadhar Housing Finance Limited**

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer, Chickpet Division
8th Main, 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Kanakanapalya,
Bangalore-560011 Ph.: 080-26570088

No. EE/CKP/E-PROC/11/2023-24 **Dated : 05-12-2023**

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER

(TWO COVER SYSTEM) (Through E-Procurement Portal only)

The Executive Engineer, Chickpete Division, BBMP, invites tenders on behalf of the Commissioner, BBMP, Bengaluru from eligible Tenderers for the pothole filling works detailed in the table below.

Sl. No.	Name of Work	Approximate Amount put to tender (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD Amount (in Rs.)
1	Providing Pothole filling to Chickpete Constituency roads for the year of 2023-24 (Call-2)	90.00	1,80,000/-

Calendar of events : (1) Pre bid meeting will be held on **08-12-2023 at 3.00 pm** in the office of the Chief Engineer (South), Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Jayanagar 2nd Block, Bengaluru-560011, to clarify the issue and to answer questions on any matter that may be raised at the stage as stated in "Instructions to Bidders" of the bidding document. **(2)** Last Date for uploading the Filled Tender Document is **12-12-2023 upto 4.00 pm. (3)** Date of Technical bid opening of Tenders is on **13-12-2023 by 4.30 pm. (4)** Date of Financial bid Opening of Tenders is on after Technical bid approved.

GOK e-Procurement portal **http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** for registration and e-payment details contact e-Procurement Helpdesk at 080-22485867

Sd/- Executive Engineer
Chickpete Division, BBMP

BANGALORE URBAN ZILLA PANCHAYATH

Office of the Executive Engineer, Panchayath Raj
Engineering Division, First Floor, Zilla Panchayath Building,
S. Kariyappa Road, Banashankari, Bengaluru-560070.

No: EE/PRED/BNG(U)/TND/AE-01/15/2023-24 Date: 04.12.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION No:15/2023-24

(Through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal)

Short Term Tenders are invited through kppp by the Executive Engineer, P.R.E.D, Bangalore Urban, For MLA Grants Works. The work details can be obtained from the e-pocurement Website.

The Tender Documents can be obtained and submitted on or before: **13-12-2023 upto 4.00 PM.** Further details can be obtained from web site at **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or contact this office during office working hours.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
Panchayat Raj Engineering Division,
Bangalore Urban Dist. Bangalore

DIPR/CP/2405/SPAN/2023-24

बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया
Bank of India BOI

HSR LAYOUT BRANCH, 50, 20th Cross, 18th Main, Sector 3, HSR Layout,
Bengaluru - 560102, HSRLAYOUT.Bengaluru@bankofindia.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule-8 (1)] (for Immovable)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **Bank of India**, under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(12), read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **13.03.2022** calling upon the borrower **Mrs. Lakshmamma w/o Mr. Venkatesh (Borrower) and Mr. Venkatesh S N (Co-Borrower)** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.77,57,658.84** (Rupees Seventy Seven Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Eight and Paise Eighty Four Only) with further interest thereon **@9.35% p.a.** from **28.02.2023** compounded with monthly rests, compounded with monthly rests along with further interest, costs expenses and monthly rests within 60 (Sixty) days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this the **05th day of December of the year 2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs.77,57,658.84** (Rupees Seventy Seven Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Eight and Paise Eighty Four Only) and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Secured Property: All that piece and parcel of the Residential Property (Land & Building) situated at Bengaluru North Taluk, Presently Yelahanka Taluk, Yelahanka Hobli BBMP, Kuvempunagar, Ward No.11, Singapura Village-560097, Old Byatanarayanapura CMC Khata No.574/1/31/C, Presently BBMP Khata No.574/1/31/C, Site No.31. Measuring East to West 30 Ft. and North to South 55 Ft., admeasuring 1650 Sq. Ft., owned by Mrs. Lakshmamma W/o Mr. Venkatesh S. N. The Boundaries of the property : East by : S C Varalakshmaiah House Property, West by : K Narayanappa House Property, North by : Gunduthopu, South by : Road.

Date : 05.12.2023
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Bank of India

SOUTH INDIAN Bank
CIN: L65191KL1929PLC001017

Regional Office: SIB Arcade, #61, Wheeler Road, Cox Town,
Bangalore – 560 005. Tel./ Fax No: +91 80-25479091 / 92
E-mail: ro1010@sib.co.in.
Website: www.southindianbank.com

APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to rule 8 (6)]

Sale notice for sale of immovable properties

Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to The South Indian Bank Ltd, Branch Bangalore Jayanagar (Secured Creditor), the Physical Possession of which was taken on 24.02.2023 by the Authorised Officer of The South Indian Bank Limited, Regional Office Bangalore (Secured Creditor), will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and " Whatever there is" on **28.12.2023**, for recovery of an amount **Rs.1,78,97,671.20 (Rupees One Crore Seventy Eight Lakh Ninety Seven Thousand Six Hundred Seventy One and paisa twenty only)** as on **05.12.2023** due to The South Indian Bank Limited, Branch Bangalore Jayanagar, (Secured Creditor) from **Sri. Santhosh Kumar, S/o Ram Pheran,** Proprietor of M/s. Komal Steels, 162, Commercial Shop No. 04, Ashmit Arcade, 10th main Road, 3rd Phase, Beside SBI Bank, Peenya, Bangalore – 560 058 and **Smt. Geeta Devi Mishra alias Geeta Devi, W/o. Santosh Kumar,** both of them residing at Flat No. G2, Auroraa Pride, No.86, 09th Main, J C Nagar, Mahalakshmipuram Layout, Kurubarahalli, Bangalore – 560 086 (Also at : No. 108, 09th Main, 4th Cross, Near Muneshwara Temple, J C Nagar, Kurubarahalli, Bangalore – 560086).

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

All that piece and parcel of residential apartment being Flat No. G2, (3BHK) in the apartment building 'Auroraa Pride', having a super built up area of 1663 sq. ft. together with 444 sq. ft. of undivided share, along with one covered car parking space in basement floor, constructed on property bearing No. 86 (PID No. 13-39-86), (Old Nos. 168 & 21/2, 90/1 & 30/1) formed in Sy. No. 168 (Re. Sy. No. 21/2) adm East to West: 90 ft and North to South: 80 ft, totally adm. 7200 sq.ft. situated at J.C.Nagar, Laggere Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, owned by Sri Santhosh Kumar vide Sale Deed no. 1983/2016-17 dated 11.07.2016 of SRO Vijayanagar, Bangalore and bounded on the North: Road, East: Private Property, South: Road and West: Private Property.

Reserve Price	**Rs.90,00,000.00** (Rupees Ninety Lakh Only)
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**Rs.9,00,000.00** (Rupees Nine Lakh Only)
Date of Sale & Time	28.12.2023 at 12.30 P.M.
Date and time for submitting Tender along with EMD	28.12.2023 before 12.15 P.M.
Place of Sale	**The South Indian Bank Ltd.,** Regional Office, No.61, SIB Arcade, Wheeler Road, Cox Town, Bangalore – 560 005.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in South Indian Bank Ltd, (Secured Creditor) website i.e. **www. southindianbank.com**

Date : 05.12.2023
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer (Chief Manager)
The South Indian Bank Ltd.

KONKAN RAILWAY CORPORATION LTD.

(A Government of India Undertaking)

OPEN E-TENDER (TWO PACKET SYSTEM) INVITATION NOTICE

Name of Work: Design, supply, transportation, installation, testing and commissioning of 110 KV EHT power supply arrangement from KPTCL receiving / Grid substation at Shejawada, Karwar to KRCL's Traction Sub-Station at Karwar along with bay arrangement, under ground cabling and switch gears at Karwar in the state of Karnataka. Notice No: KR/CO/EL/TSS/T/16/23 dtd. 06/12/2023. Completion Period: 11 (Eleven) Months. **Estimated Cost:** ₹ 17,88,36,760/- excluding GST. **Bid Security:** ₹ 10,44,200/- **Last Date & time for Online Submission of Tender:** 27/12/2023 up to 15.00 Hrs. **Opening of Tender:** On 27/12/2023 at 15.30 Hrs. Amendments / Corrigendum if any, would be uploaded on IREPS website only. **Submission of Tender Documents:** Through IREPS. Manual Tender Documents shall not be accepted.

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN:U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No. SEE/Tr(W&M)C/MRB/EE(O)/AEE-2/T-64/23-24/5751-57 Date:04.12.2023

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through KPP Portal Only)

Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited invites Tenders **for Providing manpower services for carrying out shift operations and minor maintenance works at various sub stations** in Transmission(W&M) Circle, KPTCL, Munirabad.

1) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0374
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/54 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 110kV S/S Metri.

2) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0377
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/55 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 66kV S/S Arasikere.

3) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0376
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/56 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 66kV S/S Hosalli.

4) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0378
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/57 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 66kV S/S Giriyapura.

5) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0380
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/58 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 66kV S/S Chornur.

6) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0381
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/59 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 66kV S/S Moregere.

7) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0382
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/60 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 66kV S/S B.G.Halli.

8) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0383
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/61 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 110kV S/S P.D.Halli.

9) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0384
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/62 Dt. 04.12.2023: Located at 110kV S/S Sriramnagara.

10) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0385
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/63 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 110kV S/S Venkatagiri

11) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0386
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/64 Dt. 04.12.2023 :Located at 110kV S/S Mallapura.

12) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0387
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/65 Dt. 04.12.2023: Located at 110kV S/S Ginigera.

13) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0388
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/66 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 110kV S/S Navali.

14) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0389
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/67 Dt. 04.12.2023 :Located at 110kV S/S Dadesugur.

15) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0390
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/68 Dt. 04.12.2023 : Located at 110kV S/S Gurugunta.

16) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0391
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/69 Dt. 04.12.2023: Located at 110kV S/S Vajrabandi.

17) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0392
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/70 Dt. 04.12.2023: Located at 110kV S/S Valaballari.

18) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0393
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/71 Dt. 04.12.2023.: Located at 110kV S/S Sirwara.

19) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0394
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/72 Dt. 04.12.2023 :Located at 110kV S/S Alkod.

20) Tender No: KPTCL/2023-24/SE0395
Bid Enquiry No: SEE/WMC/MRB/AEE-2/2023-24/73 Dt. 04.12.2023: Located at 110kV S/S Walkamdinni.

Tenders will be received through KPP Portal only. The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry in the e-procurement process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** on hyperlink **"e-procurement KPTCL"** or directly logging on to website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **08.12.2023, 11:00Hrs** onwards. Further details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele),
Transmission (W&M) Circle, KPTCL, Munirabad-583 233
Tele-Fax: 08539-270094

Government of Karnataka

DEPARTMENT OF SAINIK WELFARE AND RESETTLEMENT, BENGALURU

ARMED FORCES FLAG DAY - 2023

PRESS RELEASE

As in the past, this year Armed Forces Flag Day will be observed on 07 December 2023 (Thursday) at "Glass House", Raj Bhavan, Bengaluru at 11.00 A.M.

All Ex-servicemen who are interested to attend the function should have Ex-Servicemen Identity Card.

Sd/-
Director
Dept of Sainik Welfare & Resettlement
Bengaluru.

DIPR/CP/2418/AKAR/2023-24

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

EDUCATION & WELFARE INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, VIJAYAWADA

e-procurement Tender Notice

NIT No: 124 to 125 /MD/APEWIDC/VJA/2023-24, Dated: 05.12.2023.

NIT No: 124 to 125, downloading commencement on 07.12.2023 and closing date may be viewed in e-procurement.gov.in

1. Tenders are invited from the Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM)/ Original Equipment Manufacturing firms / Companies / authorised dealers of Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM) for Procurement of Drinking Water System (Type-0, Type-I and Type-II) and AMC to Drinking Water Purifiers under Mana Badi:Nadu-Nedu Programme for Govt. Schools (Educational Institutions) in various Packages in Andhra Pradesh.

Further details may be viewed at **http://tender.apeprocurement. gov.in** Contact No.**08645 295758.**

Note: 1. Changes / amendment if any will only be communicated through above e-procurement platform.

2. Reverse auction applicable as per G.O.Ms.No.67, dated 16.08.2019 of Water Resources (Reforms) Department and G.O No:79, Dated: 25.08.2020 of the Finance (HR.V-TFR) Dept.

Sd/- Managing Director, APEWIDC, Vijayawada

इंडियन बैंक **Indian Bank**
इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD

JAYANAGAR BRANCH
1540/22, 22nd Main, 39E Cross,
4th 'T' Block, Jayanagar-560041

POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property)

[Under Rule-8(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002]

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Indian Bank** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with rule 8 and 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 06/09/2023 calling upon the **borrowers 1) Mr. Nagaraj D (Borrower), S/o. Late Devaraj,** BDA Site No.22, Near Sri Vinayaka Temple, 2nd Cross Hanuman Nagar, Slum layout, Hal 3rd Stage, New Thippasandra Post, Bangalore-560075. **2) Smt. Rajamma (Co-Borrower), W/o. Late Devaraj,** BDA Site No.22, Near Sri Vinayaka Temple, 2nd Cross, Hanuman Nagar, Slum layout Hal 3rd Stage, New Thippasandra Post, Bangalore-560075. **3) Mr. Murthy.D (Guarantor), S/o. Late Devaraj,** BDA Site No.22, Near Sri Vinayaka Temple, 2nd Cross, Hanuman Nagar, Slum layout Hal 3rd Stage New Thippasandra Post, Bangalore-560075 our **Jayanagar 4th T Block Branch** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.14,57,792.95 (in words rupees Fourteen Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Two and Ninety Five Paisa only)** as on 06/09/2023 plus interest and cost thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with rule 8 and 9 of the said rules on this **01st day of December of the year 2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Indian Bank** for an amount of **Rs.14,61,471.35 (Rupees Fourteen Lakhs Sixty One Thousand Four Hundred Seventy one and Thirty Five Paisa only)** and interest thereon. We draw attention to the provisions of Section 13(8) of the SARFAESI Act and the Rules framed there under which deals with your rights of redemption over the securities.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY

The specific details of the assets in which security interest is created are enumerated hereunder:

MORTGAGED ASSETS: SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY
(UNDIVIDED RIGHT,TITLE AND INTEREST)

Sl. No.	Khatha No.	Extent areas of land/ building	Location Sub-District/ District/Village /Municipality etc.	Boundaries for entire property
1	Property Bearing no.22, having PID No 74-7-22	Measuring east to West 20Feet, North to South 25 Feet Totally Measuring 500 Sq.ft	Property situated in Hanuman Nagar Slum, HAL 3rd Stage, Layout Formed by BDA within the Limits of BBMP	East: Site No.21 West: Site No.23 North: Site No.12 South: By Road

Date: 01.12.2023, Place: Bangalore **Authorized Officer, Indian Bank**

इंडियन बैंक **Indian Bank**
इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD

JAYANAGAR BRANCH
1540/22, 22nd Main, 39E Cross,
4th 'T' Block, Jayanagar-560041

POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property)

[Under Rule-8(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002]

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized officer of **Indian Bank** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 06.09.2023 calling upon the **borrowers- 1. Mr. Saptha A P D/o. Mr. A N Purushottam (Borrower),** 15/A , Arekere, Kailasam Road , B T S Layout, 3rd Cross, B G Road, IIM Post, Bangalore-560076. **2. Mr. A N Purushottam (Co-Borrower),** 15/A, Arekere, Kailasam Road, B T S Layout, 3rd Cross, B G Road, IIM Post, Bangalore-560076. **3. Kalpana Nanjappa (Guarantor)** 15/A, Arekere, Kailasam Road, B T S Layout, 3rd Cross, B G Road, IIM Post, Bangalore-560076 to repay the amount mentioned in the **Rs.3,69,532.34 (Rupees Three lakhs Sixty Nine thousand Five hundred Thirty Two and Thirty Four Paisa only)** as on 06.09.2023 plus interest and cost thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said rules, on this **01.12.2023.** The borrower/guarantors in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Indian Bank** for an amount of **Rs.3,83,675.78 (Rupees Three Lakhs Eighty Three Thousand Six hundred and Seventy Five and Seventy Eight Paisa only)** as on 01.12.2023 plus interest and cost thereon.The borrower's attention is invited to the provision of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property

SCHEDULE A:- (DESCRIPTION OF ENTIRE PROPERTY)

Sl. No.	Khatha No.	Extent areas of land/ building	Location Sub-District/ District/Village / Municipality etc.	Boundaries for entire property
1	Residential property bearing No 573,574 V P Khatta No.2201/573 carved out of converted Sy No 45 / 2 in the layout known as PSR ICON VALLEY	**Plot No.573** East to west: 60 feet North to South : 40 feet Totally measuring 2400 Sq.feet. **Plot No.574** East to west: 60 feet North to South: 40 feet Totally measuring 2400 Sq.feet	Property situated at Suragajakkana halli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore	**Plot No.573** East: Road West: Site No.553 North: Site No. 574 South: Site No 572 **Plot No.574** East: Road West: Site No. 551&550. North : Site No 575 South: Site No 573

Date: 01.12.2023, Place: Bangalore **Authorized Officer, Indian Bank**

ICICI Bank

Branch Office: ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068

PUBLIC NOTICE - TENDER CUM E-AUCTION FOR SALE OF SECURED ASSET

[See proviso to rule 8(6)]

Notice for sale of immovable assets

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis as per the brief particulars given hereunder;

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrowers/ Guarantors/ Loan Account No.	Details of the Secured asset(s) with known encumbrances, if any	Amount Outstanding	Reserve Price Earnest Money Deposit	Date and Time of Property Inspection	Date & Time of E-Auction
(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)
1.	Mrs. Pragya Binani (Borrower) Mr. Roshan Thankachen Daniel (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number LBBNG00002910332	Flat Bearing No.002 In The Ground Floor of The Apartment Building Known As "pinnacle" Having A Super Built Up Area of 1331 Sq. Ft. Containing Three Bedrooms, Along With One Car Parking Space, Including Proportionate Share In Common Areas Such as Passage, Lobbies, Staircase Etc., Together With 439 Sq. Ft. Undivided Share of The Lacomprised In Schedule "A" Property Situated On Converted Land Bearing Old Sy.No.79, New Sy.No.79/2 & Sy. No.80/4 at Hirandahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Earlier Bangalore South Taluk, Presently Bangalore East Taluk.	Rs. 50,21, 709.25/- (as on December 02, 2023)	Rs. 35,10, 000/- Rs. 3,51, 000/-	December 15, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 29, 2023 from 01:00 PM to 02:00 PM
2.	Mr. Parikshith N (Borrower) Mr. Thimappa Narayana (Guarantor) Loan Account Number LBBNG00005423519	All That Piece and Parcel of Site No.04, Formed In Sy.No.17/1 and 17/A, Present Survey No.17/1A2 & 17/1A4, Converted For Residential Purpose Vide Official Memorandum No. ALN/(S)SR/(KEN)/51/2011-12, Dated 09/08/2011, Issued By Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, Situated at Pattanagere Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Measuring East To West:30-0 Feet And North To South: 40-0 Feet, Totally Measuring 1200 Sq. Ft., The Property Comes Under The Limits of Bruhath Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Hemmigepura Ward No.198, and Bounded On: North: Road; South: 17/1 Other Property; East: Site No.03; West: Site No.05	Rs. 63,02, 218.05/- (as on December 04, 2023)	Rs. 56,00, 000/- Rs. 5,60, 000/-	December 12, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 29, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM
3.	Mrs. S Sudha Anbu (Borrower) Mr. G V Anbu (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number LBBNG00004915075	1/5th (Equivalent 400 Sq. Ft. Out Of 2000 Sq. Ft.) Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest, Claims Whatsoever In Schedule 'a' Property With Flat No. C3 In Second Floor Together With 925 Sq. Ft. Super Built-up Area With Open Car Parking Space In Stilt Floor of Property Bearing Corporation No.2/11 Situated At Athmananda Colony Main Road, Ward No.95, Pid No.95-32-2/11, Bangalore, Complex Known as Ashraya Apartments Fifteen, Comprising Hall, Bedroom, Kitchen, Toilet With Fittings and Fixtures of Rcc Building, Brick And Cement Walls, Mosaic Flooring, Main Door Honne Wood, Steel And Aluminium Framed Windows.	Rs. 33,75, 812.90/- (as on December 04, 2023)	Rs. 34,00, 000/- Rs. 3,40, 000/-	December 11, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM	December 29, 2023 from 03:00 PM to 04:00 PM

The online auction will take place on the website of e-auction agency **M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited (URL Link-www.disposalhub.com).** The Mortgagors/ noticee are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest till **December 28, 2023** before **04:00 PM** failing which, this/these secured asset/s will be sold as per schedule.

The Prospective Bidder(s) must submit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Demand Draft (DD) (Refer Column E) at **ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** on or before **December 28, 2023** before **05:00 PM** and thereafter they need to submit their offer through the above mentioned website only on or before **December 28, 2023** before **05:00 PM** along with scan image of Bank acknowledged DD towards proof of payment of EMD. Kindly note, in case prospective bidder(s) are unable to submit their offer through the website then signed copy of tender documents may be submitted at **ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** on or before **December 28, 2023** before **05:00 PM.** Earnest Money Deposit DD/PO should be from a Nationalised/Scheduled Bank in favour of **"ICICI Bank Limited"** payable at **Bangalore.**

For any further clarifications with regards to inspection, terms and conditions of the e-auction or submission of tenders, kindly contact **ICICI Bank Limited** on **9844542086/8008999536/7304918084.**

Please note that Marketing agencies **1. M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited** have also been engaged for facilitating the sale of this property.

The Authorised Officer reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without furnishing any further reasons.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please visit **www.icicibank.com/n4p4s**

Date: December 06, 2023
Place: Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Authorised Officer's Details: **Name : Sri. Nagendra Nagaiah** **E-mail ID: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in** **Mobile No: 9964970123** **Landline No.(office): 080 25943678, 25943663**	**Address of the Branch :** **STRESSED ASSETS RECOVERY BRANCH (05173),** **#11/90, 3rd Floor, Opp. Trustwell Hospital, J C Road,** **Bangalore - 560002. Ph: 080 2594 3678, 2594 3663** **Email Id: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in**

APENDIX IV-A [See proviso to Rule 8(6)]
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-auction SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSET UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 READ WITH PROVISO Rule 8 (6) of the security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s), that the below described immovable properties mortgaged / charged to the Secured creditor, Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of State Bank of India, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis on **12.01.2024** for recovery of **Rs. 1,22,33,172/-** (Rupees One crore twenty two lakhs thirty three thousand one hundred and seventy two only) as on 27.11.2023 + interest + expenses and costs, due to State Bank of India, Secured creditor from **Sri.Arjun Gowda S/o Sri.Krishnamurthy (Borrower/s).**

Reserve Price (Below which the properties will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit	Bid increment Amount
Rs. 1,26,21,000/-	Rs. 12,62,100/-	Rs. 1,00,000/-

Tender No: SBI/SARB/SARF/NN/999

Description of the Immovable Property : (Title deed holder/s: Sri. Arjun Gowda S/o. Sri. Krishnamurthy) : Schedule "A" Property : All that piece and parcel of the undeveloped composite land measuring 02 Acres 04 Guntas of land carved out of residentially converted land bearing Sy.No.83/1 measuring 1 Acre 6 Guntas and Sy.No.83/2 measuring 1 Acre 18 Guntas, totally measuring 02 Acres 04 Guntas (Converted vide Official Memorandum dated 01.10.2010, bearing No.ALN(SB) SR:68/2010-2011, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner) situated at Arakere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and **bounded as : East by :** Sy. No. 82, **West by :** Remaining portion of land belonging to Mr. Purushotham Reddy and Tejas and thereafter Sy. No. 85, **North by :** Sy.No.84, **South by :** Road.

Schedule "A" Property : 490 Sq.ft of undivided share, right, title and interest in land/ownership in the Schedule "A" Property.

Schedule "C" Property : Residential Unit No.103, in the First Floor, measuring 2072 Sq.ft super built up area, containing three Bedroom, Hall, Kitchen etc., together with one car parking spaces, including proportionate share in common areas such as passage, lobbies, staircase, etc., containing in the multistoried building to be constructed on the Schedule "a" property known as "ROSHAN PLATINUM APARTMENT".

Absolute Sale Deed dated 18.09.2020 registered in Book No.1 under Documents No.BGR-1-02096-2020-21 stored in CD No.BGRD746 on 18.09.2020 at the office of Senior Sub Registrar Begur Bangalore

To the best of knowledge of the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on any of the above said properties. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.

Date and Time during which inspection of the immovable secured assets to be sold and intending bidders should satisfy themselves about the assets and their specification. **On All Working Days between 11.00 A.M. to 5.00 P.M.** with prior appointment. **Contact person Authorised Officer : Anjan Kumar D: 8660590654**

Date : 05.12.2023
Place : Bangalore

Authorised Officer
State Bank of India, SARB, Bangalore

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK

(A scheduled commercial bank)

Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 &12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangala Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

E-AUCTION NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR SALE THROUGH E-AUCTION UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT (SARFAESI ACT) 2002, READ WITH PROVISO RULE 8(6) & 9 OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002.

The undersigned as authorised officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** has **taken possession** of the following property in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(4) of the SARFAESI ACT. The Borrower in particular and public at large are informed that online auction (e-auction)of the mortgage property in the below mentioned account for realisation of dues of the Bank will be held on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS "** and **"AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"** on the date as prescribed as here under.

Sr. No.	Loan Account Number	Name of Original Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor	Date of 13-2 Notice	Date of Possession	Present Outstanding balance as on 04.12.2023	Date & Time of Inspection of the property	Reserve Price in INR	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) in INR	Date and Time of E-Auction	Last date TIME & Place for submission of Bid
1	30198850007284	1) **M/s. Jaya Sai Driving School,** Represented by its Proprietor Mrs. **P. Jamuna,** 2) **Mrs. P. Jamuna,** Proprietor **M/s. Jaya Sai Driving School,** 3) **Mr. Manoj Kumar S,** 4) **Mr. Supreeth S**	31.08.2021	25.11.2023	**Rs.20,57,713/-** (Rupees Twenty Lakh Fifty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Thirteen Only)	22.12.2023 Time: 9:30 AM to 05:00 PM	**Rs.21,04,000/-** (Rupees Twenty One Lakh Four Thousand Only)	**Rs.2,10,400/-** (Rupees Two Lakh Ten Thousand Four Hundred Only)	06.01.2024 @ 02:00 PM	05.01.2024, Till 05.00 PM Jana Small Finance Bank Ltd., Head Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071
	Details of Secured Assets: All that piece and parcel of Immovable property beaing Northern portion of property bearing Katha No.17, Assessment No.5/7, Devarachikkanahalli Village, Bommanahalli Nagarsabhe, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 40ft & North to South: 15ft in all measuring 600 Sq.ft along with Building and **Bounded on the: East by:** Property belonging to Srinivas Reddy, **West by:** Road, **North by:** House of Shankar Reddy & Manjula, **South by:** Remaining portion of property standing in the name of S Kasalingam.									
2	45349670000073 45349670000366 & 45349440000202	1) **Mr. Nitesh Nahar, Also at: M/s. Nahar Aluminium,** 2) **Mrs. Bhavana Nahar,** 3) **Mr. Uttam Chand Nahar**	31.08.2023	03.11.2023	**Rs.24,93,733.07** (RupeesTwenty Four Lakh Ninety Three Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty Three and Seven Paisa Only)	22.12.2023 Time: 9:30 AM to 05:00 PM	**Rs.35,44,000/-** (Rupees Thirty Five Lakh Forty Four Thousand Only)	**Rs.3,54,400/-** (Rupees Three Lakh Fifty Four Thousand Four Hundred Only)	06.01.2024 @ 02:00 PM	05.01.2024, Till 05.00 PM Jana Small Finance Bank Ltd., Head Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071
	Details of Secured Assets: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property Bearing No.3, Old Site No.3, in portion of V P Katha No.1056, Assessment No.114/5, Situated at Mariyamma Temple Road Cross, 13th Main Road, Kariyannapalya, Kacharkanahalli Dakle, B.M.P Ward No.94, Kadugondanahalli Ward, Kasaba Hobli Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore. Measuring: East to West: 45 Feet, North to South: 30 Feet, In Total measuring 1350 Sq.feet together with (2) Two squares house built with cement and bricks, provided with cement plastering, red oxide flooring, R.C.C roofing, jungle wood doors and windows and with electricity facility and along with all the rights, liberties, privileges, appurtenances, etc whether underneath or above the surface and **Bounded on: East by:** Road, **West by:** Remaining portion of the same property, **North by:** Site No.2, **South by:** Site No.4.									

The properties are being held on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS"** & **"AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"** and the E-Auction will be conducted **'On Line'.** The auction will be conducted through the Bank's approved service provider **M/s. 4 Closure** at the web portal **https://bankauctions.in** & **www.foreclosureindia.com.** For more information and For details, help, procedure and online training on e-auction, prospective bidders may contact **M/s. 4 Closure; Contact Mr. Bhaskar Naidu Contact Number: 8142000809/ 8142000061. Email id: info@bankauctions.in / subbarao@bankauctions.in.**

For further details on terms and conditions to take part in e-auction proceedings and any for any query relating to property please contact **Jana Small Finance Bank authorized officers Mr. Ranjan Naik (Mob No.9590858249), Mr. Umesh (Mob No.8050149617) & Mrs. Syeda (Mob No.7400445147).** To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorised Officer, there are no encumbrances on the properties. However the intending bidders should make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances, title of property put on prior to submitting their bid. No conditional bid will be accepted. This is also a notice to the above named Borrowers/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors about e-auction scheduled for the mortgaged properties. The Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of auction, failing which the property will be sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date: 06.12.2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer, Jana Small Finance Bank Limited**

Do you know that hope sometimes consists only of a question without an answer?

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— **Ramnath Goenka**

CONSTRUCTION SECTOR ROLLS AGAIN, BUT HOME PRICES NEED A LEASH

THE most recent growth numbers show a construction boom. But there is an underlying suspicion that the builders' lobby is dressing up the demand and pumping up prices. A recent report said that prices in Navi Mumbai had touched ₹40,000 a square foot, and two-bedroom apartments in this distant Mumbai suburb were selling for ₹4 crore apiece. Casual inquiries show these figures are nearly twice the actual prices being negotiated on ground. A more balanced report said that while home sales have been robust, the construction boom raised big, listed realtors' inventory by over 28 percent during the April-September half-year. As a result, the value of unsold stock ballooned to over ₹1 lakh crore by the end of September. High inventory will hopefully keep housing prices on a leash.

Meanwhile, GDP data released this week showed the construction sector growing at a healthy 13.3 percent during the July-September quarter compared to a year earlier—its best performance in five quarters. This contributed to the GDP growing at 7.6 percent, making India one of the fastest growing major economies. While some builders and brokers have claimed that sales sky-rocketed 36 percent in the July-September quarter, independent consultancies say the sales growth has been around 10 percent and project price appreciation in large cities has been in the 5-10 percent range. What emerges beyond the fluff is that sales and prices have regained their pre-Covid levels and consumer confidence is pushing the home market forward.

There is a huge latent demand for housing, driven by an estimated shortage of 19 million units; this is expected to double by 2030. The situation has worsened as the government's 'housing for all by 2022' has been a failure. High land and input costs, and the fly-by-night nature of some parts of the industry have made housing unaffordable for the common man. This in turn has spawned a huge informal industry resulting in burgeoning slums and overcrowded townships. The current attempt to jack up prices, therefore, could contribute to another slump like we have seen in several boom-and-bust cycles over the past two decades. It is a sector that cannot be left to the avarice of private builders. A regular supply of affordable mass housing by government bodies is needed to ensure a balanced market.

TOO MUCH CRICKET NOT GOOD FOR THE GAME

ON November 19, India and Australia featured in one of the biggest matches the sport has to offer—the 50-over World Cup final. Roughly 100 hours later, the two teams began a five-match T20 series, with the last encounter taking place in Bengaluru on Sunday. Out of the 22 players who featured in the final in Ahmedabad on November 19, there were only three holdovers in Bengaluru two Sundays later (Travis Head, Suryakumar Yadav and Shreyas Iyer). The last of those, Shreyas, was given a small break before he was asked to report for this series. In other words, there is just way too much cricket. There is always an appetite for live cricket—especially when it is between two elite nations playing in India—but it is increasingly coming at a cost to the players. The broadcasters are sure of making money, but do we want to repeatedly flog our cricketers like this? Ultimately, the health of the product will suffer. Mitchell Marsh, who played in that World Cup final before opting to skip the T20 series, called the schedule "outrageous". "The boys have just won a World Cup and probably deserve to celebrate... you would hope there's not too many of those series put on after big tournaments again."

Unless the players themselves protest, the cricket boards and broadcasters will keep signing up for these kinds of low-stakes, money-spinning series because of the finances. Days after England's T20 World Cup win last year, the two teams played out a 50-over bilateral series in Australia in front of largely empty stands. Before the first game of that series, England skipper Jos Buttler had no problems admitting his team may be undercooked.

Several Australian players who had initially signed on to stay for this series against India either withdrew or left midway. David Warner headed home before playing a single game. Others flew back after a couple of matches with Pat Cummins saying the players were "not robots". This is not a good look. The International Cricket Council and national cricket boards should seriously look into this. There should be a gap of at least 10 days after all major events. Is there an appetite to pass a rule like this? The sport's lawmakers have to decide. Otherwise, they are in danger of seeing the product eating itself alive.

QUICK TAKE

PUNISH SUB-STANDARD DRUG MAKERS

THE Central Drugs Standards Control Organisation says 128 cough syrups made by 54 Indian pharma companies have failed standard tests this year; this was out of 2,104 tests conducted till October. The regulatory authorities moved into a higher gear near the middle of this year after three Indian drug makers' cough syrups were linked to the death of at least 141 children in Gambia, Uzbekistan and Cameroon. The WHO said that an Indian cough syrup picked up from Cameroon contained more than 280 times the prescribed limit of a toxin. The episode has severely dented India's claim of being the 'world's pharmacy'. The government must keep up regular testing and strictly punish those responsible.

Some say the Congress stands for secularism, others see it tilting towards religious and caste politics. Voters and allies aren't able to repose faith in the party's convictions

WILL THE REAL CONGRESS PLEASE STAND UP?

SUGATA SRINIVASARAJU

Senior journalist and author of *Strange Burdens: The Politics and Predicaments of Rahul Gandhi*

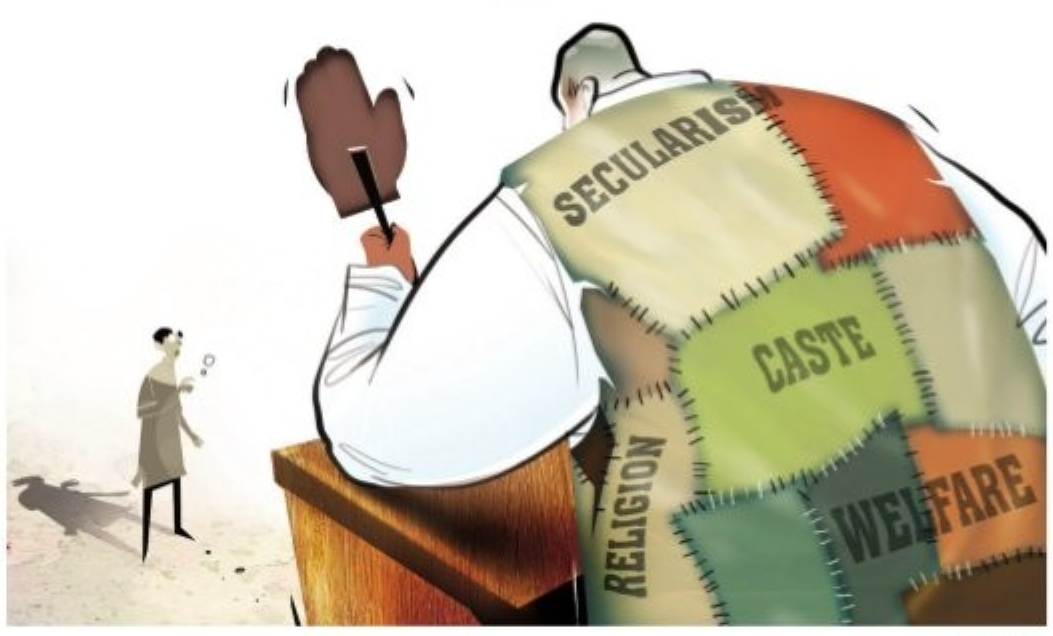
EACH time the Congress party faces an election, suffers a loss or grabs a rare victory, the question that floats up is: what does the Congress stand for? Or what does it believe in, really? This question has invariably come up, yet again, after the latest round of election results on December 3 and 4 to five state legislatures.

A question like this about the BJP is rather easily answered in the minds of the electorate. They are unambiguous about the primacy the party accords to religion and its ideological expressions—Hinduism and Hindutva, respectively. The party's narratives of development, triumph or victimhood emanate from this central idea. It is relatively straight and simple. But what does the Congress stand for in the minds of the ordinary voter?

We are not here trying to understand how the Congress is perceived by self-serving liberal gangs, hectoring ideologues, hair-splitting academics in distant realities or a bunch of snooty anglophone elites. We are trying to worry about how the party is perceived by a non-descript, unlabelled voter. What is it that creates an emotional bond between him or her and the party? Voters have a transactional relationship with political parties depending on the material promises they make from election to election. But there is something beyond this transaction, something that invades their hearts and creates a space. In the case of the BJP, it is clear, but is there any such thing happening for the Congress?

The categories of people we listed above would argue that Congress stands for secularism. But secularism is a mediated thought. It is a rational consensus that one arrives at, not an emotional arena. More importantly, how does a negotiated, abstract idea get communicated to an ordinary voter? Even if one boldly assumes that secularism is an emotive idea for which people are willing to give up their lives, the talk of the Congress and secularism has mostly been a peacetime, seminar-room engagement.

When election season kicks in, no Congress contestant or strategist will ever make a bold case for secularism. Their only concern would be to avoid antagonising the majority community and not appear as appeasing the minority community. This pushes us to think that the party does not believe that secularism will lead it to a victory dance. It is about political correctness. Therefore, in the recently concluded polls, the top Congress leaders, especially in Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh, were in near embrace of the BJP's Hindutva agenda.



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In its search for an emotional connect, the Congress, independent of its dealings with religion, has attempted to appropriate the social justice agenda of the regional or Mandal parties. Rahul Gandhi suddenly became a champion of the backward classes and the biggest advocate of a caste census in recent months. The party must have thought that the best counter to the BJP's religion argument was to make a caste argument. The Congress now is therefore unenviably caught between two identity battles, and tragically, both sides disbelieve their conviction. They see it as a desperate tango. The collateral damage for the Congress in picking the caste identity debate in singular haste has been to make its INDIA allies suspicious of its motives. Mandal parties made space in the 1990s at the expense of the Congress using the caste argument. They may not want to revive the Congress in 2024 by sharing seats in states they dominate.

This unsure journey of the Congress on two boats—religion and caste, makes it apparent that it is struggling to find an emotional leverage with voters. This by extension would mean the party does not have a cultural narrative to call its own. A cultural narrative is focused hard work and its incubation time is long. Congress wasted the last 10 years without paying much attention to this crucial aspect. It has been randomly experimenting and as a result, the voter is left with no idea as to where the party stands on issues that make an emotional bargain. Quite simply for the voter, the primary custodian of the religion or caste arguments is not the Congress.

If this confusion was not enough, the party has tried to project the federal as a counter to the centralising impulse of the BJP. Rahul Gandhi started emphasising that India was 'not a nation' but a 'union of states'. In his electoral education, it appears he has been taken in by the cultural and linguistic autonomy that Tamil Nadu under the Dravidian parties has espoused. The exclusivity of Dravidian ideas perhaps made him aspire to such an ideological frame for the Congress. It was by no means applicable to the national image of the Congress and ironically, the Dravidian model was developed as a counter to the Congress's flattening national instinct.

Since emotional connect has been difficult to build for the Congress, it has tried to arrange, with its default technocratic mindset, an economic substitute. The latest avatar has been the 'guarantees' it has dispensed. These schemes have turned the welfare and development model in Karnataka, where it was first applied in May 2023, topsy-turvy. The state government was in such a tearing hurry to build an ebullient narrative for 2024 that even before the schemes were fully rolled out, it commissioned surveys to hail their success. Now Telangana has been won on a similar set of unsustainable promises.

Anyway, the Congress's welfare plans have failed to work in states where the BJP has had a serious cultural connect—the Hindi heartland with its Hindutva. Culture any day trumps economics. Also, economic schemes are a universal game that parties across the divide offer electorates as a supplement to their emotional and cultural connect. But in the case of the Congress, there is only the supplement—there are bogies without an engine of an argument. That makes the party vulnerable and insecure.

The Congress's unsure experiments with ideas, identities and ideologies before each election season has made the party appear with new spots. This has confused the electorate so much that they have often opted for the consistency of the BJP. The Congress has never been re-elected in any state since 2014 and that should hold a mirror. The many avatars of Rahul Gandhi in recent times are also emblematic of the party's confusion. He has been a Bharat *yatri*, a Shiv *bhakt*, a biker, a social justice champion, a federalist, a democrat, a secularist, a crusader against crony capitalism, an avuncular figure and of course, an archetypal dynast, among others.

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MAKE STEADY NUTRITION GRANTS TO REAP DEMOGRAPHIC DIVIDEND

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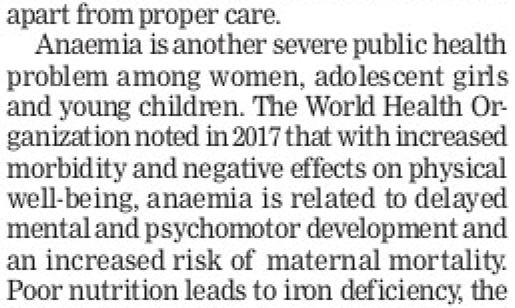
ADEQUATE nutritious food in the early stages of life is crucial for ensuring good physical and mental development. Malnutrition has been identified as one of the principal causes limiting India's global economic potential as it affects the quality of human resources. In the past few years, a series of incidents such as pandemic lockdowns, Russia-Ukraine war, soaring food prices, higher energy costs, climate disasters and now the Gaza war have impacted the world. These incidents have pushed vulnerable low- and middle-income countries into food crises. The extent to which countries can recover from shocks depends largely on factors such as income inequality, governance, food availability and poverty level.

In India, there has been a rise in the number of undernourished people from 572 million to about 735 million since 2017. According to the Multidimensional Poverty Index (MPI) published by the UN Development Programme and the Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative, 25 countries halved their MPI score in four to 12 years, demonstrating that halving poverty within 15 years in line with Sustainable Development Goals is possible. The report says that 415 million Indians moved out of poverty between 2005-06 and 2019-21. The incidence of poverty fell from 55.1 percent to 16.4 percent and all indicators of deprivation improved.

But despite the improvement in MPI indicators, one of the major deprivation factors—malnutrition—is still at an alarming level in India. According to NITI Aayog's MPI report in 2023, 14.9 percent of Indians are categorised as being poor and nutrition deprivation is the major contributor to this at around 30 percent. Between 2005-06 and 2019-21 (National Family Health Survey 5 or NFHS 5), the two indicators of malnutrition, stunting and underweight in children below five, registered a considerable decrease by 12 and 11 percentage points respectively. For wasting, the decrease was very marginal, by just 1 percent. Two other indicators of health, anaemia among children and mothers, also showed a decline by 2.3 and 5.7 percentage points respectively.

Malnutrition refers to deficiencies, excesses or imbalances in a person's intake of energy and nutrients, but let's briefly discuss the deficiency indicators. Food and feeding behaviours in children are the main factors behind these. Due to low income, many families cannot afford or access sufficient nutritious food such as fresh fruits and vegetables, legumes, nuts, meats and milk. Parents may also lack knowledge about appropriate foods for the child's age, apart from proper care.

Anaemia is another severe public health problem among women, adolescent girls and young children. The World Health Organization noted in 2017 that with increased morbidity and negative effects on physical well-being, anaemia is related to delayed mental and psychomotor development and an increased risk of maternal mortality. Poor nutrition leads to iron deficiency, the main underlying factor in more than 60 percent of anaemia cases.



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A healthy population is the foundation of the much-touted demographic dividend. But states are still battling alarming levels of malnutrition in children and mothers. Older schemes such as Saksham Anganwadi and Poshan 2.0 have newer features. But allocations for nutrition vary year to year, making outcomes uncertain

India will have to analyse the performance of states on malnutrition, as this is the foundation of the demographic dividend. A comparison of NFHS 4 and NFHS 5 on the state-wise prevalence of stunting, wasting, underweight and anaemia among children under five and anaemia among women aged 15 to 49 provides better insights into the status of malnourishment. One of the major observations that emerges is inter-year shifts in nutritional status, offering a granular perspective on the experience of states. The other is variations between states and the shocking fact that no state's malnutrition status is single-digit.

Anaemia can impair cognitive development, stunt growth and increase morbidity from infectious diseases. According to the respected medical journal Lancet, a fifth of maternal mortality can be averted by addressing maternal stunting and iron deficiency. The prevalence of anaemia among children aged six to 59 months has increased in almost all major states except Jharkhand and Haryana. On the incidence of anaemia in pregnant mothers, except Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh, all other states are showing an increase. The decrease in Rajasthan is negligible.

The burden of malnourishment is still a mammoth task for states. This calls for a proper nutrition mandate at the central policy level and additional focused interventions at the state level. There are several government schemes such as Saksham Anganwadi, Poshan 2.0 and Pradhan Mantri Poshan Shakti Nirman which have been running for long and now have newer components. Still, the average level of nutrition continues to be dire at the micro level.

Considering this, the 15th Finance Commission recommended an additional grant of ₹7,735 crore to states for nutrition in 2020-21, along with the grants allocated under centrally-sponsored schemes for child nutrition. The finance commission stated that these grants cannot substitute the state or Union shares and are an addition which would be released in two instalments. The second instalment should be released after effective utilisation of the first grant received by a state for the purpose.

Schemes providing direct nutrition interventions are crucial for eliminating malnutrition, but budgetary allocation may vary from year to year. Thus a focused, steady allocation aimed at nutritional outcomes is needed. The Global Nutrition Report 2015 reported that there was a benefit-cost ratio of 16:1 for investments in nutrition in 40 low- and middle-income countries. Therefore, the 16th Finance Commission should reconsider the sectoral grant for nutrition while deciding the kitty for states. This will address the needs of present as well as future generations.

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Good governance

Ref: *What not to do while you are in power* (Dec 5). No one can deny the writer's contention that nothing substitutes positive governance. It helped BJP come to power in MP for the fifth time in a row. Adherence to Hindutva alone could not have rendered victory of this magnitude. It is evident that the electorate is concerned about public welfare more than party ideology. Shivraj Singh Chouhan's model is worth emulating.

G Nataraja Perumal, Tenkasi

Opposition squabbles

Ref: *Big BJP bounce Congress gets consolation prize* (Dec 4). Even as the Congress called assembly elections as the semi-final for the 2024 Lok Sabha election, the BJP's impressive victory in MP, Rajasthan and Chhattisgarh left the INDIA bloc stunned. The harangue by the opposition on the glorious victory has begun already. The TMC blames the loss on the Congress not sharing seats, even as PM Narendra Modi has cautioned the alliance not to be constantly divisive and nitpicky.

K R Venkata Narasimhan, Madurai

Family factor

The campaign by Congress in Telangana was very active. Yet it was the arrogance of KCR and his party that enabled Congress to wrest power. The party can rise again to the national level only if the Gandhis are totally kept out of leadership positions and corrupt elements and sycophants are dumped. Unfortunately, this is not likely to happen as the party seems to exist only for the sake of the family.

R Kasthurirangan, Bengaluru

Changing mentality

Ref: *Navy ranks will be renamed in line with Indian culture: Modi* (Dec 5). India is moving forward by abandoning the slavery mentality. It's also good to know that they are emphasising on strengthening Nari Shakti in the defence sector.

Aditya Kamble, Kalaburgi

Unsung heroines

Ref: *'Gazza' looks to capture emotions of West Asia crisis* (Dec 4). In the face of conflict, such dramas are powerful mirrors that reflect the resilient spirit of women who've become unsung heroines in the war. Together, we can inspire a collective call for peace and justice.

Pyari Suman, Kannur

Fighting odds

Ref: *How Karmabai coped with life's trials and tribulations* (Dec 4). Though I stay in Odisha, I was not aware of this tale. I strongly believe that in our lives, there is always someone like Karmabai. In fact, every family has a member who fights against the odds on a daily basis. Yet they survive and flourish.

Sandeep Madkar, email

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POSTS OF THE DAY

Akhilesh Yadav @yadavakhilesh
Only PDA [Pichre (Backwards), Dalits, Alpashankhak (Minorities)] will defeat NDA...PDA is a social movement.... a struggle for social justice

Ashok Gehlot @ashokgehlot51
Congress will remain committed to raising issues of public interest while playing the role of a positive opposition

Kamal Nath @OfficeOfKNath
We are taking lessons from this defeat, removing the shortcomings and starting to prepare for Lok Sabha elections from today itself. No defeat can defeat courage

Came true on promise on J&K: Shah

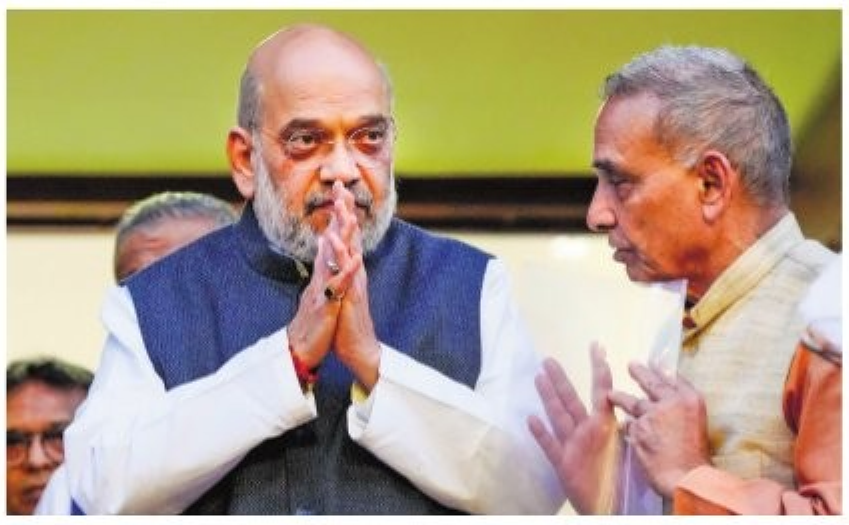
Govt ensured that country has one flag, one Constitution and one PM, he says in Lok Sabha debate

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

HOME minister Amit Shah on Tuesday said that the country can't have two flags, two heads and two constitutions and whoever allowed this arrangement had made a mistake. In an apparent reference to the abrogation of Article 370 in Jammu and Kashmir in 2019, he said that the concept of 'one flag, one prime minister, one Constitution' was not a political slogan and the Government had ensured that the country has just one flag and Constitution and one prime minister.

He was responding to a remark by Trinamool Congress (TMC) MP Saugata Roy in Lok Sabha during the discussion on the Jammu and Kashmir Reservation (Amendment) Bill and the Jammu and Kashmir Reorganisation (Amendment) Bill tabled in the House on the second day of the winter session for discussion and passage.

Roy said that he had taught in a college named after Syama Prasad Mukherjee and 'ek nishan, ek pradhan, ek samvidhan' was his slogan and it was a 'political slogan'.



Home Minister Amit Shah and BJP MP Satya Pal Singh during the winter session of Parliament in New Delhi on Tuesday | PTI

Shah said that Roy's remark was extremely 'objectionable'.

"Whosoever did it was wrong. Narendra Modi has corrected it. Your approval or disagreement does not matter. We had been saying since 1950 that a country should have one PM, one flag and one Constitution and not two and we have done it," he said.

Union minister for information and broadcasting Anurag Singh Thakur also spoke during the debate. Hitting out at Ray, he stated that Jammu and Kashmir has undergone a lot of change in the past four years since the removal of Article 370.

He said that there had been no cases of stone pelting and the Indian tricolour was now hoisted in every street in the Union Territory.

But earlier, when the National Conference (NC) was in power, BJP leaders were arrested for trying to hoist the flag there, Thakur said, recalling his own experience of Tiranga Yatra.

Meanwhile, union minister of state in the prime minister's office (PMO) Jitendra Singh said in the House that the government is ready to hold Assembly polls in Jammu and Kashmir whenever the Election Commission (EC) takes a final decision in the matter.

Intervening in the discussion on the Bills, he said, "Whenever the EC announces it (Assembly election in Jammu and Kashmir), we are ready." His statement was in response to opposition parties demanding early Assembly polls in the Union Territory.

POWER CORRIDOR

AFTER ROW, DMK MP SAYS SORRY FOR 'GAUMUTRA' REMARK

DMK Lok Sabha member DNV Senthil Kumar on Tuesday triggered a row by describing Hindi heartland as "gaumutra states", drawing instant condemnation from the BJP as well as its ally Congress. He apologised for his comment after receiving backlash from all quarters including leaders of DMK's ally Congress. During the discussion on the J & K Reorganisation (Amendment) Bill in the House, he said that the BJP could win elections only in the Hindi heartland states and not in south India. While his description of the Hindi heartland as 'gaumutra' states was expunged by the Lok Sabha Speaker later, the remarks sparked a controversy with several members across party lines condemning the DMK leader and the video of his speech going viral on social media.

Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman speaks in the Rajya Sabha during the Winter session of Parliament in New Delhi on Tuesday | PTI

IN RS, CONCERN OVER HATE SPEECHES

Amid discussions on India's economic state, BJP MP GVL Narasimha Rao raised concerns in the Rajya Sabha about hate speeches made by Tamil Nadu ministers against Sanatana Dharma. Accusing them of deliberately maligning Hinduism, Rao demanded the state government take immediate action, including filing a case and dismissing the ministers.

OVER 35K STUDENTS COMMITTED SUICIDE

Union Minister of State for Social Justice and Empowerment Abbaiah Narayan Swamy on Tuesday informed the Lok Sabha that 35,000 students committed suicide in the country between 2019 and 2021. The number of SC and ST students who committed suicide is not availabe due to social discrimination, said the National Crime Records Bureau.

Compiled by Parvez Sultan & Rajesh Kumar Thakur

PM slams Oppn, says no room for 'divisive agendas'

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR
@ New Delhi

FLUSH with victories in the recent Assembly polls in three states, Prime Minister Narendra Modi cautioned opposition parties against running "divisive agendas," and asked the people to remain on guard against "divisive politics."

Taking to X (formerly Twitter) on Tuesday, the PM taunted the Opposition that while it might be complacent with "arrogance, lies, pessimism and ignorance," the people should be aware of a divisive agenda. "Old habits of 70 years cannot go away so easily," he said.

He said the Opposition could face many more such "meltdowns" (an apparent reference to the Congress defeat in the assembly polls) in the coming days too.

Modi was reacting to a an X post captioned 'Meltdown-e-Azam' (great meltdown) of a news clip that cited "excuses" and alleged attempts by an "ecosystem" to stoke regional divide and insult voters in Hindi-speaking states after the BJP swept to power in Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh, brushing aside the challenge from the Congress.

The Congress drew some consolation by winning the assembly polls in Telangana.

"May they be happy with their arrogance, lies, pessimism and ignorance. Such is the wisdom of the people that they have to be prepared for many more meltdowns ahead," Modi remarked in a post on X, tagging a video clip of a news item captioned "Meltdown-e-Azam." A day after the resounding victories in assembly elections, the PM had cautioned the Opposition to shun negativity in politics and move with a mindset of positivity.

Addressing the party workers from BJP central office, Modi predicted that a hat-trick of the 2023 assembly polls was a guarantee of such a hat-trick in the 2024 parliamentary elections. BJP leaders said the PM's post reflects the party turning up the heat in its social media outreach in recent months.

"This post of the Prime Minister is aggressive and takes the opposition ecosystem head on," a leader said. He said this has been the case with the BJP's content on social media in general too for the last few months now.

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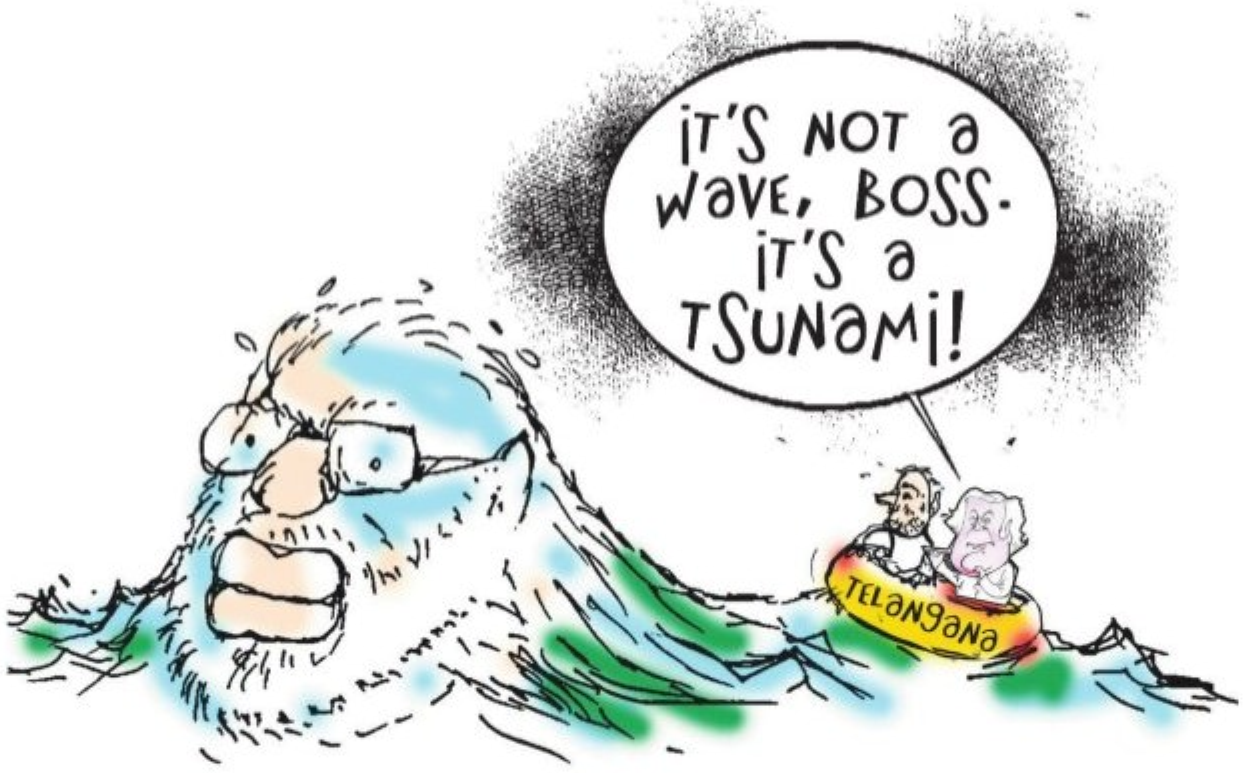

IT'S NOT a WAVE, BOSS. IT'S a TSUNAMI!
TELANGANA

India seeks more cheetahs from Kenya

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

INDIA on Wednesday expressed interest in acquiring more cheetahs from Kenya, a proposal initiated by the Environment Ministry during the state visit of Kenyan President, Dr. William Samoei Ruto.

Details regarding the desired number of cheetahs that India seeks, the potential supply from Kenya, and the timeline for the acquisition have not been discussed yet. However, an official from the Ministry of External Affairs confirmed that the Environment Ministry has formally requested the cheetahs Currently, Kuno National Park is home to 15 surviving cheetahs.

During the visit, India and Kenya signed five Memoranda of Understanding covering agriculture, healthcare, and other sectors. Discussions also included topics such as maritime security, healthcare, and education. Kenya has chosen to join the Global Bio fuels Alliance, Big Cats Alliance, and International Solar Alliance.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi said, "I am glad that Kenya has decided to join the Global Bio fuels Alliance, Big Cat Alliance, and International Solar Alliance. We will be able to strengthen global efforts for the conservation of big cats."

India has committed to providing an additional $100 million line of credit to Kenya for agricultural projects, including support through the provision of machinery, bringing the total line of credit to $250 million. During the visit, President Ruto met with PM Modi and President Draupadi Murmu. PM Modi emphasised the unanimous agreement between India and Kenya on considering terrorism as the most serious challenge to humanity. In response, both countries have decided to enhance mutual cooperation in the field of counter-terrorism.

India also raised the issue of 2 Indian nationals who went missing in Kenya in July 2022. Identified as Zulfiqar A Khan and Zaid S Kidwai who were reportedly abducted.

President Ruto commended India's digital advancements, announcing Kenya's intention to sign agreements in the digital space.

Cybercrime centres, specialised teams formed in hotbeds

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR
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AT a time when cyber crimes are on the rise in the country as per a National Crime Record Bureau report, the Ministry of Home Affairs has set up the Indian Cyber Crime Coordination Centre (I4C) to deal with such cases in a coordinated way. The ministry said 7 joint cyber coordination teams (JCCTs) have also been formed for Mewat, Jamatara, Ahmedabad, Hyderabad, Chandigarh, Vishakhapatnam and Guwahati under I4C, covering the country based upon cybercrime hotspots.

Ajay Kumar, MoS Home Affairs informed the Lok Sabha that 7 workshops were organised for JCCTS at Hyderabad, Ahmedabad, Guwahati, Vishakhapatnam, Lucknow, Ranchi and Chandigarh in 2023. He also informed that a state-of-the-art national Cyber Forensic Laboratory (Investigation) has also been set up as part of the I4C in Delhi to support and provide early-stage cyber forensic assistance to Investigating Officers (IOs) of states and UTs.

Citing data, he said the National Cyber Forensic Laboratory has assisted states in 8,840 cases, which include mobile forensic, memory forensics, CDR analysis and others parts of the investigation to help in cracking the cases.

He said the 'Citizen Financial Cyber Fraud Reporting and Management System" under I4C has also been launched for swift reporting of financial frauds and stop the siphoning of funds by fraudsters. "So far, financial amounts of more than ₹930 crore have been saved in more than 3.80 lakh complaints," he said, adding more than 72,800 police officers from states and UTs are registered and more than 50,000 certificates issued through the open online courses platform under I4C.

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Sec 6 Citizenship Act: SC begins hearing on pleas

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A five-judge constitution bench of the Supreme Court led by Chief Justice of India (CJI) Dr DY Chandrachud on Tuesday commenced hearing on 17 petitions to examine the constitutional validity of section 6A of the Citizenship Act relating to illegal immigrants in Assam. Besides the CJI, the four other judges who were part of the bench are Justices Surya Kant, M M Sundresh, J B Pardiwala and Manoj Misra.

Assam Sanmilita Mahasangha, a Guwahati based NGO along with other petitioners, had challenged Section 6A in SC in 2012. Senior lawyer Shyam Divan, appearing for All Assam Ahom Association and other petitioners, argued that Section 6A is discriminatory, arbitrary and illegal as it provides for different cut-off dates for regularising illegal migrant who entered Assam and the rest of India.

Divan argued that Section 6A violates the basic fabric of the Constitution and the values of secularism, fraternity and brotherhood contained in the Preamble. Divan requested the bench to direct the Centre to frame a court-monitored policy for all states and UTs for the settlement and rehabilitation of all the persons who came to Assam.

The SC asked Solicitor General (SG) Tushar Mehta, representing the govt, to inform it whether Section 6A was still in operation and the number of people who have been declared as "foreigners" till 2013, and fixed the matter for further hearing on Wednesday.

During the hearing today, the apex court said that Section 6A was enacted as a humanitarian measure in the wake of the 1971 Bangladesh Liberation War and is deeply interwoven in our history. "We can't deny that Section 6A was enacted at a point which is deeply connected to our history. Section 6A was enacted a time when there was a different history, and India had an important role to play in Bangladesh Liberation War, and we were a part of the war as much as Bangladesh. This was for the atrocities which were being committed on the population of East Bengal then," the CJI observed

Section 6A of the Citizenship Act was introduced to give effect to Assam Accord. It provides the framework to recognise migrants in Assam as Indian citizens or to expel them based on the date of their migration.

ALSO IN TOP COURT

Surrogacy for unmarried women

The Supreme Court on Tuesday issued notice to the Centre on a plea challenging the surrogacy provisions which prevents an unmarried woman to avail surrogacy. A 2-judge bench asked the Centre to file its reply on the plea filed by SC lawyer Neeha Nagpal, who said that women should be allowed to have a child without being married.

No stay on trial in Ankita murder case

The Supreme Court on Tuesday refused to stay the trial in the Ankita Bhandari murder case. A bench headed by Justice Sanjiv Khanna and also comprising Justice S.V.N. Bhatti refused to stay the ongoing trial after hearing a Special Leave Petition filed by one Ashutosh Negi. Ankita was murdered by Pulkit Arya and his aides.

CHANDRAYAAN-3'S PROPULSION MODULE PULLED BACK TO EARTH

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IN its first attempt, the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) was able to bring back the Propulsion Module (PM) to Earth orbit which carried the Vikram lander and Pragyaan rover to the Moon's south pole during the Chandrayaan-3 mission. This crucial step is closer to proving that samples from the lunar surface can be bought back for further research.

The space agency, in a statement said, "In another unique experiment, like the hop experiment on the Vikram Lander, the PM of Chandrayaan-3 was moved from an orbit around the Moon to an orbit around Earth." ISRO added that the first manoeuvre was performed on October 9, 2023, to raise apolune altitude to 5112km from 150km, thus increasing the period of orbit from 2.1 hrs to 7.2 hrs, the second on October 13. The PM is set to remain in Earth orbit for around a year being the only time ISRO has been able to conduct a reverse manoeuvre out of the three Moon missions.

The main objective of PM was to ferry the lander module to GTO (Geostationary Transfer Orbit) and separate the lander, post which the Spectro-polarimetry of HAbitable Planet Earth (SHAPE) payload in the PM was also operated. The initial plan was to operate the payload for about three months during the mission life of PM. However, to ISRO's benefit, the precise orbit injection by LVM3 and optimal earth and lunar burn manoeuvres resulted in the availability of over 100kg of fuel in the PM after over one month of operations in the lunar orbit.

"It was decided to use the available fuel in the PM to derive additional information for future lunar missions and demonstrate the mission operation strategies for a sample return mission," read the statement by ISRO.

To continue SHAPE payload for Earth observation, it was decided to re-orbit the PM to a suitable Earth orbit. This mission plan was worked out considering collision avoidance such as preventing the PM from crashing onto the Moon's surface or entering the Earth's GEO belt at 36,000km and orbits below that.

Currently, the propulsion module is orbiting Earth and crossed its first perigee on November 22 with an altitude of 1.54 lakh km. As per ISRO's prediction, there is no threat of close approach with any operational Earth-orbiting satellites.

FARMERS PREPARE

The administration in Maharashtra's Nagpur district has advised farmers to avoid spraying and application of pesticides and fertilisers as the weather department has forecast rains for the region in the next two to three days.

02 DIE AFTER BEING RUN OVER BY A TRUCK IN UP

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	42	27	Mumbai	35	29
Bhopal	43	28	Panaji	32	28
Jaipur	41	30	Patna	41	27
Amritsar	40	23	Lucknow	42	27
Chennai	39	30	Port Blair	34	28
Kolkata	36	26	Imphal	23	18
Srinagar	18	08	Chandigarh	42	23

Days after BJP's victory in Rajasthan and MP, the party continues to hold parleys to find CMs for the two states

Suspense grips Raj over over who'll become CM

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

THE BJP continues to grapple with the puzzle of finding a chief ministerial candidate two days after its win in the Assembly polls. A political churn is said to be underway in Delhi as the leadership deliberates on the top post. On Monday, over 30 MLAs spoke with former CM Vasundhara Raje in Jaipur, signaling a show of strength.

Kalicharan Saraf, an eight-time MLA and a staunch supporter of Raje, asserted that 70 MLAs had met her. "The BJP has won wherever she has gone. She is the most acceptable leader," he said. A stream of MLAs made their way to Raje's residence. Notables were Arun Chaudhary, Jogaram Patel, Sanjeev Beniwal, Darshan Singh, Ajay Singh Kilak, and Jaswant Yadav.

Gopichand, MLA from Jahajpur, who met Raje on Monday, said, "The face of the CM has to be decided by the central leadership, but our faith lies in Raje." Meanwhile, at the residence of BJP state chief CP Joshi on Tuesday, independent MLA Ravindra Singh Bhati, Gopichand Meena, Gopal Sharma, and Bhajan Lal Sharma gathered. They were accompanied by state in-charge Arun Singh, who remarked, "The decision taken by the parliamentary board will be acceptable to all."

Singh also addressed the media in Jaipur on Tuesday, emphasizing that the party fought the elections in the name of PM Modi and therefore, the parliamentary board will decide the CM face. Arun didn't speak about meetings taking place at Raje's residence, but said: "BJP has the face of the world's most popular leader, PM Modi."

Twice CM Raje was considered a natural contender for the top post, yet her strained ties with the BJP leadership over the past decade fueled speculation about an alternative candidate.

Potential candidates include Rajyavardhan Singh Rathore, Diya Kumari, Kirori Lal Meena, Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla, Union minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat and Arjun Ram Meghwal. Insiders suggest that Raje's dissatisfaction could lead to a significant upheaval. With Lok Sabha elections on the horizon, the impact of Raje's discontent on BJP's performance cannot be ignored.

Who's to blame, ask Cong leaders

The Congress Legislature Party meeting in Jaipur on Tuesday adopted a one-line resolution authorising the party leadership to appoint the LoP in Rajasthan. While outgoing CM Ashok Gehlot and senior leader Sachin Pilot made placatory comments after the meeting, some leaders demanded accountability from top leaders. Gehlot has ruled himself out of the LoP race, saying he would like to work as an ordinary worker.

Shivraj says he's not a contender for top post

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bhopal

TWO days after the BJP's triumph over the Congress in the MP assembly elections, the ruling party's longest-serving CM in the country, Shivraj Singh Chouhan said he was not a contender for the chief minister's post.

"I was neither in the race for the CM's post in the past, nor am I a contender for the post now. I'm fortunate to be an ordinary BJP worker," he said. "I'm fortunate to have worked under the leadership of PM Modi," Chouhan said in a video message on Tuesday.

Talking to journalists, Chouhan made it clear that he was not going to Delhi. "I'm going to Chhindwara on Wednesday, as we failed to win any of the seven assembly seats there. My only resolution is to win all 29 Lok Sabha seats of MP and present a garland of 29 lotuses to PM Modi, to enable him to become the country's PM again."

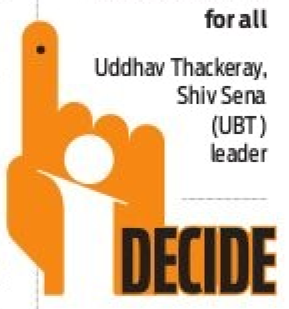
Chhindwara has been the pocket-borough of state Congress chief Kamal Nath for over four decades. The Congress won all seven seats of the district in the 2018 assembly polls as well as in the recent polls. Chhindwara was the lone LS seat from MP won by the Congress in 2019 LS polls.

Chouhan's latest statements came amid reports about senior state BJP leaders, including Union ministers Narendra Singh Tomar, Prahlad Singh Patel, Jyotiraditya Scindia and state party chief VD Sharma being in Delhi and meeting the national party leadership ahead of the decision on whether Chouhan will be given the fifth term.

Importantly, the saffron party hadn't declared CM face in MP assembly polls and fought the polls with PM Modi's face in the center. Instead of having a CM face (despite Chouhan being at the helm of state government), the party had fielded eight heavyweights, including seven MPs, among them three Union ministers, besides party's national general secretary Kailash Vijayvargiya in the recent assembly polls. This indicated a race for the next CM.

Barring Union minister Faggan Singh Kulaste and fourth-time MP Ganesh Singh, the other five sitting MPs and party national general secretary Kailash Vijayvargiya won the polls.

> **There is suspicion about EVMs. We want to clear it and want to request the ECI to call the elections by allowing ballot papers. It will clear the doubts once and for all**
>
> Uddhav Thackeray, Shiv Sena (UBT) leader



'EVMs to blame'

Some MP Congress MLAs in a meeting in Bhopal blamed EVMs for their defeat. "A village in Chhindwara got only 80 votes," said Kamal Nath

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Helipads, heliports to aid emergency services

In light of the challenges associated with providing emergency medical and disaster relief services to enhance access to potential tourist destinations in Uttarakhand, it has been decided to construct new helipads on private land as well. The proposed Heliport and Heliport Policy 2023 by the Uttarakhand Civil Aviation Development Authority (UCADA) has been approved by the Cabinet. Under this policy, two options have been provided for building a heliport. Initially, after selecting private land, UCADA will rent the land to build new helipad. Or the private landowner can independently develop the helipad.

Abhinav Kumar appointed state DGP

Uttarakhand's newly appointed Director General of Police, Abhinav Kumar, a 1996 IPS officer, is set to elevate the training standards for sub-inspectors and constables in the state. Having assumed the role as the 12th DGP, succeeding the retired DGP Ashok Kumar, Abhinav expressed contentment with the current law and order situation, noting, "The crime rate in Uttarakhand remains under control." DGP Abhinav Kumar has outlined key priorities, including a crackdown on criminals involved in the illegal drug trade and the enhancement of the traffic system in the capital.

Rawat advocates a change in Cong strategy

After recent election setbacks in three states, the Congress party is undergoing a significant strategic overhaul. Congress Working Committee member Harish Rawat, acknowledging "historic blunders" that fueled accusations of appeasement, emphasised the synonymous nature of Sanatan and Congress with tolerance. Rawat alleged that the BJP capitalises on religious divisions, fostering fears among the population. Rawat attributed Congress' defeat in the three states to these issues. He clarified that Congress' struggle becomes challenging when individuals use Hinduism as a shield.

Bhindranwale kin & KLO chief dies in Pakistan

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chandigarh

KHALISTANI terrorist, chief of banned organizations International Sikh Youth Federation and Khalistan Liberation Force (KLF) Lakhbir Singh Rode, who was based in Pakistan, died in the neighboring country following a cardiac arrest.

He was nephew of slain Khalistani militant Jarnail Singh Bhindranwale. Lakhbir was listed as an 'individual terrorist' under the UAPA as he was accused in the 1985 Kanishka bombing of the Air India plane. Meanwhile Punjab Police has arrested UK-based Paramjit Singh Dhadi an associate of Rode from Amritsar.

Jasbir Singh Rode brother of Lakhbir Singh has confirmed his death in Pakistan. He said his brother had already been cremated in Pakistan on Monday.

"We have been informed by brother's son, who lives in Canada, that his father died of a heart attack in Pakistan on December 2. He must have been cremated over there. But we have no confirmation about it.

Lakhbir was diabetic and had recently undergone a bypass surgery and had been not keeping well for the past fortnight,'' said Jasbir.

BJP's first Christian MLA in C'garh learns to win in Hindutva hub

EJAZ KAISER @ Raipur

THE BJP, during its election campaign, raked-up the alleged religious conversions mostly into Christianity, particularly among tribals in Chhattisgarh, but the party's unconventional pick of a tribal Christian Prabodh Minj yielded unexpected success in the reserved Lundra assembly constituency, which was represented by the Congress since 2008.

Minj became the first ever BJP Christian MLA in Chhattisgarh despite having faced initial protest from local saffron leaders and right-wing organisation 'Sarv Hindu Samaj' over the decision to pick him from the Scheduled Tribe seat in north Chhattisgarh's Sarguja division.

The BJP remained unfazed over the objections and firmly trusted the potential of Minj, a Catholic Christian who was a two-time Mayor of Ambikapur where he launched a successful initiative on cleanliness drive in the city. "There were strong demands from our local leaders to replace the Christian candidate and give the party ticket to some Hindu leader. We then conveyed it to our senior leaders. But BJP is a party that does politics for 140 crore people of the country and is not restricted to any one community", said Lallan Pratap Singh Ambikapur district BJP president.

Chhattisgarh election in-charge for BJP Om Mathur had then countered citing the criteria for the party's selection is contingent on 'merit and winnability'. Minj, who changed his loyalty from Congress to BJP in 2003, got elected as Ambikapur Mayor in 2005 as a BJP candidate. Lundra constituency has around 1.94 lakh voters. Minj has defeated sitting Congress MLA Pritam Ram by a convincing margin of 24,128 votes.

Minj worked hard during his poll campaign at Lundra and visited some remot villages where no politician ever visited after Independence.

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>
> Prabodh Minj

Lalduhoma-led ZPM set to helm Mizoram, swearing-in on Friday

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Guwahati

THE Zoram People's Movement (ZPM) government in Mizoram will be sworn in on Friday, an official statement said.

The ZPM unseated the Mizo National Front (MNF) from power. This is the first time that a non-MNF and non-Congress government will be installed in the landlocked state.

The ZPM called a meeting of "Val Upa Council, the party's decision-making body, in Aizawl on Tuesday evening. All MLAs of the party were scheduled to attend it. ZPM stalwart and former Indian Police Service officer Lalduhoma is the chief ministerial candidate. He is likely to meet Governor Hari Babu Kambhampati on Wednesday morning and stake claim to form the government.

Lalduhoma is scheduled to meet the governor on Wednesday | PTI

'Youth fed up with existing political system'

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"This time, there were more female voters than their male counterparts. We are grateful to them and committed to working for their upliftment," he said.

Zoramthanga on Tuesday resigned as MNF president owning moral responsibility for the party's poll debacle. He submitted his resignation letter to party's senior vice president Tawnluia.

Zoramthanga is a former insurgent leader-turned-politician who served as chief minister for three terms from 1998 to 2008 and from 2018 to 23. He contested the November 7 elections from Aizawl East-I seat but lost to ZPM's Lalthansanga.

The ZPM had swept the polls by bagging 27 of the state's 40 seats. The MNF was a distant second with 10 seats, followed by BJP two and Congress 1. The results were declared on Monday.

CCTV grab of Karni Sena chief Sukhdev Singh Gogamedi being shot inside his residence | PTI

Rajput Karni Sena chief shot dead at his residence

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

SUKHDEV Singh Gogamedi, the chief of right-wing group Shri Rashtriya Rajput Karni Sena, was shot dead at his Jaipur residence on Tuesday by three unidentified men. One of the assailants was killed in retaliatory firing by Gogamedi's security guard but the other two escaped, police said.

The assailants shot Gogamedi from close range. He was rushed to a nearby hospital where doctors declared him dead. Ajit Singh, Gogamedi's guard who shot dead one of the assailants, sustained serious injuries in the attack.

Jaipur Police Commissioner Biju George Joseph identified the slain assailant as Naveen Singh Shaktawat. Sources said Naveen was known to Gogamedi and he brought the other two to the house.

The entire incident was captured on CCTV. Police sources said one of two men has been identified as a criminal gang member from Haryana.

Meanwhile, gangster Rohit Godara, who is said to be holed up in Canada and has links with the gangs of Goldie Brar and Lawrence Bishnoi, claimed responsibility for the murder through a Facebook post.

Gogamedi had tried to contest in the 2018 Rajasthan elections as a BJP candidate but the party denied him ticket.

Jawaria from Karachi reaches India via Attari to marry Kolkata's Sameer

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

JAWARIA Khanam, 21, from Pakistan's Karachi today crossed into India via the Attari-Wagah border near Amritsar to unite with her fiancée Sameer Khan from West Bengal and then flew to Kolkata where Khan lives.

They will be marrying next month. Khanam has come on a 45-day visa to India.

Jawaria faced many hurdles before she got the Indian visa. She found the support of a Punjab-based social activist, who helped her secure the visa.

She was warmly received by Sameer and his father Ahmed Kamal Khan Yousufzai at the joint border check post. The couple will marry as per Islamic traditions.

Javaria said she was over the moon and couldn't believe she arrived in India to marry her choice of groom. The family hopes that her 45-day visa will be extended. She thanked the Indian government for granting her the visa. She also thanked social activist Maqbool Ahmed of Qadian in Punjab. "My dream is about to come true due to his support."

Sameer said they plan a wedding party on January 6. "I helped Jawaria Khanam to get the visa. Her as well as her parents' request for the visa was earlier turned down twice.

"Last year in September, Sameer contacted me and asked for my help. I guided them and also did the paperwork for the visa. She applied for the visa in August this year and got it in the last week of November,'' said Maqbool Ahmed.

"Sameer liked her when he saw her photo on his mother's mobile phone as they are distant relatives. He wants to get married to her. In 2018 they got engaged online and then their families met for the first time in Thailand for the engagement,'' said Ahmed.

Sameer's family owns a leather export business in Kolkata and Jawaria's father is a homeopathic doctor in Karachi.

Engaged in 2018

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Major I.N.D.I.A partners to skip today's meeting

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

THE meeting of the INDIA bloc scheduled on Wednesday will go ahead as planned, though many alliance partners won't be attending. Another meeting has been scheduled in the third week of December, in which all the coalition partners are expected to take part.

Wednesday's meet, reportedly scheduled by the Congress without consulting other parties, will take place at the residence of party president Mallikarjun Kharge.

Top leaders of opposition parties, including Trinamool Congress (TMC), Samajwadi Party (SP), Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam (DMK), and Janata Dal-United (JDU) will be conspicuous by their absence.

However, the alliance partners will meet later this month to discuss the formation of strategy and seat-sharing arrangements for the 2024 Lok Sabha elections.

In a snub to the Congress for ignoring other INDIA partners during the recent state elections, TMC chief Mamata Banerjee and SP chief Akhilesh Yadav had on Monday ruled out attending Wednesday's meet.

According to JD(U) leaders, Bihar Chief Minister Nitish Kumar is unable to come to Delhi on Wednesday as he is down with fever. His Tamil Nadu counterpart M K Stalin will also skip it as he is busy with cyclone relief measures.

Leaders will meet on December 17: Lalu

RJD president Lalu Prasad said on Tuesday that the top leaders of the INDIA bloc will be meeting on December 17 to chalk out the strategy for the 2024 Lok Sabha polls

NOTICE UNDER ORDER-V RULE 20(1)(A) C.P.C
IN THE COURT OF THE REVENUE DIVISIONAL COMMISSIONER, CENTRAL DIVISION, CUTTACK

No. 5797 /P. **Dated 23/11/2023**

To, Inder Kumar Kapoor, S/o Late Shamdas Kapoor, at Abhimanyu road, Bangalore-560025.

Take Notice that the above Case R.C No-18/2022 has been presented in the Court of **THE REVENUE DIVISIONAL COMMISSIONER, CENTRAL DIVISION, CUTTACK,** by the Petitioner M/s. Shree Sitala Ventures (P) Ltd., Represented through its Director, Shri Jitendra Kumar Patra, U/s 37 (1), (OCH) & (PFL) Act 1972, For Correction of RoR

You are hereby directed to appear before this Court on **22/12/2023** at **10:30 A.M** in person or through your pleader or to file objections if any in this Case R.C No.18/2022, in case of failure to appear on this date and time fixed, it will be heard, declare exparte in your absence accordingly to law & order will be passed as the Court may deem fit.

Given under my hand & Seal of this Court this 23rd day of November 2023.

By Orders of RDC
Sd/- Court Officer
Court of the R.D.C
Central Division, Cuttack

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified that, our client has agreed to purchase the Schedule Property from its Owner **SRI.S.MUNIBYRAPPA** S/o late Sri.R.Shamanna, residing at No.12, 23rd Main Road, 5th Phase, JP Nagar, Bengaluru-560078. If any persons have any manner of claim, right, title, interest or demand of any nature in or over the Schedule Property, they are hereby requested to file their objections along with the photocopies of the documents on which they are relying, with the undersigned within **5 (Five) days** from the date of publication of this notice. Objection/s received thereafter will not be binding on our client.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing **Municipal No.16 (BDA Site No.1037), PID No.22-1-16,** measuring East to West 85ft and North to South 45ft, in all measuring 3825 Sq.ft, with a building thereon, situated at **1st Main Road, Dr.Rajkumar Road, 4th Block, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru,** within the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP ward No.108 and bounded as follows:

East by : Road
West by : Conservancy lane
North by : Property bearing No.1036
South by : Property bearing No.1038

Sd/- BAYYA REDDY. M
For ISHA LAW CHAMBERS LLP
Advocates & Solicitors
No.101, 2nd Floor, Sri Manjunatha Complex, 22nd Main Road,
BSK 2nd Stage, Opp : Banashankari BDA Complex,
Bengaluru-560070.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that our client intends to purchase the properties mentioned in the Schedule below and hereinafter referred to as the Schedule Property from its owner 1) Sri. R. Anand Kumar and 2) Sri. Kashivishwanatha

Any person/s having any claim in respect of the Schedule Property by way of sale, exchange, gift, mortgage, charge, trust, inheritance, possession, lease, lien or otherwise howsoever is requested to inform the same in writing to the undersigned within 7 days from the date of this notice, failing which, the claim or claims, if any, of such person/s will be considered to have been waived and/or abandoned and the transfer shall be completed.

Schedule Property

ITEM NO.1: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Survey No.10/1 measuring 0-39 guntas of land situated at Gadenahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore, with all rights, appurtenances, whatsoever underneath or above the surface and bounded on:

East by : Bhajanthri Inamathi land and road
West by : Halla and Kuduregere Gadi
North by : Sonappa's land and road
South by : Land belongs to vendors in survey no.10/5, (previously said land belongs to K.Anand)

ITEM NO.2: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Survey No.10/5 measuring 0-38 guntas of land situated at Gadenahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore, with all rights, appurtenances, whatsoever underneath or above the surface and bounded on:

East by : Bhajanthri Inamathi land
West by : Halla and Kuduregere Gadi
North by : Land belongs to vendors in survey no.10/1, (previously said land belongs to Byrappa)
South by : Sonappa's land

KNS LEGAL
Advocates and Solicitors
No.11/3-5, 2nd Floor, Palace Loop Road, Vasanthnagar, Bengaluru – 560 052.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified that my clients have agreed to purchase the Schedule Property from its sole and absolute owner namely, Dr.Srini Malini D/o Late P.N.Srinivasan and Late T.S.Sundaramma, residing at No.11911, Pepperdine Lane, Houston, TX-77071, USA.

Apart from the said owner, if any other person/s have any manner of right, title and or interest or claim or charge or lien over the Schedule property or otherwise have any lawful objection/s for sale of the Schedule Property by the aforesaid owner, they are hereby called upon to file their objection/s in writing, along with the photocopies of documents on which they rely, with the undersigned, within 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. Objection/s received thereafter will not be binding on my clients.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the residential property bearing Municipal No.66, (Old Nos.5 and 6), PID No. 49-54-66, measuring East to West 150 ft and North to South 50 ft, with a building thereon, situated at Shankarmutt Road, Shankarapuram, Bangalore and bounded on:

East by : Shankarmutt Road
West by : Conservancy
North by : Private property
South by : Private property

Sd/- S.F. Goutam Chand
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APPENDIX- IV-A
[See proviso to rule 9(1)]

Sale notice for sale of immovable property

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9 (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor,the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd., Uttarahalli Branch, will be sold by holding e-auction on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **27/12/2023** for recovery of **Rs.1,28,33,890/-** (Rupees One Crore Twenty Eight Lakhs Thirty Three Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety Only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from **Mr.Amaresh.B & Mrs.Lakshmi.E.A** (Borrowers) as on 05/12/2023 together with further interest and other charges thereon.

The reserve price will be **Rs.41,30,000/-** (Rupees Forty One Lakhs Thirty Thousand Only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.4,13,000/-** (Rupees Four Lakhs Thirteen Thousand Only)

Description of the Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of the residential property bearing Flat No.G4, Ground floor,Suraj Lakshmi Apartments at property No.56/2,PID No.59/30/2/3,present municipal No.2/3,1st main road, Tata Silk Farm, Yediyur, Bangalore, Now property comes with in limits of BBMP Ward no.59 having super built up area of 777 Sqft, UDS of land admeasuring 300 sqft out of 4000 sqft (measuring East to West 80 feet and North to South 50 feet) along with Car parking building thereon bounded on the: East by : Property No.57/1, West by : Flat No.3, North by : Flat No.2, South by : Main road

Encumbrances : NIL

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of Can Fin Homes Ltd., (https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx). Link for participating in e-auction : www.bankeauctionwizard.com

Date: 05.12.2023
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Ltd.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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POSTPONMENT OF E- AUCTION SALE
RC 545/2020 in OA No.815/2019
CANARA BANK V/S. SRI A. M. DILIP KUMAR & OTHERS

It is to inform all the concerned that, the online e- auction sale scheduled to be held on **07.12.2023** on the website of **www.indianbankeauction.com** as per Sale Proclamation /E-Auction Sale notice dated 17.10.2023 is hereby **postponed to 06.01.2024** and last date for submission of online bids and EMD is extended to 05.01.2024 and for submission of hard copy of the bids is **05.01.2024 at 3.00 PM**

All other terms and conditions are remain the same as mentioned in the said Proclamation of Sale cum/E-Auction sale notice dated 17.10. 2023

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal at Bengaluru on the 05.12.2023

Sd/- Recovery Officer-I
DRT-1, Bengaluru

STATE BANK OF INDIA
RETAIL ASSETS CENTRAL PROCESSING CENTRE (RACPC-4), WHITE FIELD (17753)
No.117, Ground Floor, Neil Rao Towers, Road No.3, EPIP Phase 1, White Field Road, Bengaluru - 560 066, Tel: 080-28411010/1020, E-Mail: sbi.17753@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE Under Rule 8(1) (For immovable properties)

Whereas, The undersigned being the authorised officer of **State Bank of India, (RACPC-4), Whitefield, Bangalore.** under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (No. 3 of 2002) issued Demand notice calling upon the following borrowers/guarantors/Mortgagers to repay the amount mentioned in their demand notice with further interest/cost etc within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. Details of Demand Notices such as date of issue and loan outstanding amount are mentioned against each borrower hereunder.

A/c No. HL Maxgain 39025134835

1) Name of the Borrower/Mortgager/Guarnotor : (1) Smt. Mohini Sutradhar W/o Sri. Prashant Suthar and (2) Sri. Prashant Suthar S/o Sri. Chanchar Lal Suthar

Demand Notice date : 22.09.2023

Loan outstanding amount as per demand notice : Rs.56,22,509/- (Rupees Fifty Six Lakh Twenty Two Thousand Five Hundred Nine Only) as on 20.09.2023. You are also liable to pay further interest from 21.09.2023 together with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc.

Possession Taken on : 04.12.2023

Present Loan outstanding amount : Rs.57,24,023/- (Rupees Fifty Seven Lakh Twenty Four Thousand Twenty Three Only) as on 26.11.2023 and further interest at contractual rate from 27.11.2023 with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property : SCHEDULE A PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of property being non-agricultural converted vacant lands in Sy Nos.176/1, 178/2, 178/3, 179, 180/1, 180/2, 181/1, 181/2, 181/3, 181/4, 182, 183/1, 183/3, 183/2, 183/4, 184/1, 184/2, 186/1, 187/2, 188/2, 188/5A, 188/5B, 189/1, 190/1, 190/2, 190/5 (Old No.190/1) 190/6 (Old No.190/1), 191/1, 191/3, 191/4 (Old No.191/1) 192/1, 195/1, 196, 197/1, 197/2, 197/3A, 198/1, 198/2, 199, 200/2, 203/1, 203/2, 204/1, 204/2, 204/3, 204/4, 204/5, 204/6, 204/7A, 204/7B, 205/1, 205/2, 205/3, 205/4, 205/5, 207/1, 207/2, 207/3, 207/4, 207/5, 207/6, 208, 210/1, 210/3, 210/4, 210/6B, 210/7A, 7B, 210/8, 210/9, 210/10, 210/11, 210/12, 210/13B, 210/13A, 210/15A, 210/15B, 210/16, 210/18, 210/1 (210/19) 211/1, 211/2, 211/6A, 211/7, 220/1 of Gunjar Village and Sy Nos.28/5, 28/11, 28/13, 28/14, 28/16 of Balagere Village both are of Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, measuring an extent of 98 Acres 35.25 Guntas (less area surrendered to Bangalore Development Authority) and the entire property is presently bearing Municipal No.52 in Sy Nos.210/4, 207/3, 207/6 and other survey numbers at Sl No.617 (in the records of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike) and situated in Gunjur in Municipal Ward No.149 of Varthur, Bangalore and entire property is bounded on: East by: Road and Lands in Sy No.220/3, 220/4 and 207/6 in Gunjur Village, West by: Lands in Sy No.28 of Balegere Village and Sy No.136, 194, 195, 191 of Gunjur, Village and Private Properties, North by: Lands in Sy No.206, 202, 201 of Gunjur Village and Sy No.25 of Balagere and Private Properties, South by :Lands in Sy No.179, 176, 177, 178, 185, 189 of Gunjur Village and Private Properties.

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY: 571 Sq. feet of undivided share, right, title, interest and ownership in land in Schedule A Property.

SCHEDULE C PROPERTY: All that Residential Apartment bearing No.11271 situated in Level-27, Twenty Sixth Floor of Tower-11 in Building No.4- Duncan in the project viz, "PRESTIGE LAKESIDE HABITAT", developed on Schedule A Property and measuring 855 Sq. feet of Carpet Area and 361 Sq. feet of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use and totally measuring 1,216 Sq. feet of Super Built-Up Area, with right to use One Covered Car Parking space in the basement floor, with building thereon standing jointly in the names of Smt. Mohini Sutradhar W/o Sri. Prashant Suthar and Sri. Prashant Suthar S/o Sri. Chanchar Lal Suthar and the Apartment is bounded on: East by: Corridor in Level-27, 26th Floor of Tower-11 in Building No.4 – Duncan in 'Prestige, Lakeside Habitat', West by : Open towards open space in Tower-11 in Building No.4 – Duncan in 'Prestige Lakeside Habitat' North by : Apartment No.11272 in Level-27, 26th Floor of Tower-11 in Building No.4 – Duncan in 'Prestige Lakeside Habitat' South by : Open towards open space in Tower-11 in Building No.4 – Duncan in 'Prestige Lakeside Habitat'.

A/c No. HL Maxgain 35782239925

2) Name of the Borrower/Mortgager/Guarnotor :(1) Smt. S. Pushparekha W/o Sri. A. Rajakumar and (2) Sri. A. Rajakumar S/o Sri. A. Arunachalam.

Demand Notice date : 22.09.2023

Loan outstanding amount as per demand notice : Rs.42,67,715/- (Rupees Forty Two Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Fifteen Only) as on 20.09.2023. You are also liable to pay further interest from 21.09.2023 together with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc.

Possession Taken on : 04.12.2023

Present Loan outstanding amount : Rs.43,41,382/- (Rupees Forty Three Lakh Forty One Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Two Only) as on 26.11.2023 and further interest at contractual rate from 27.11.2023, with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property : SCHEDULE A PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the residentially converted immovable property bearing No.79, under the Municipal No.24, being a part of Sy No.374/1, situated at Kalkere Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, now reclassified to be within Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore (converted for non-agricultural and residential purposes, vide official memorandum dated 28.06.2013, bearing No. ALN(E)SR:150/2012-13, issued by the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore), now being within the purview of ARO-Horamavu, BBMP, Bangalore, measuring an extent of 9,528 Sq. feet, together with a multistoried residential apartment/complex standing thereon, now named "UNNATHI RESIDENCY", comprising the ground, first, second, third and the terrace floors, together with the basement floor meant for car parking and being bounded on: East by : Property No.80, West by : Road, North by : Property No.90, South by : Road.

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of a 3 BHK residential flat bearing No.D-1, situated on the Third Floor of a multistoried residential apartment/complex "UNNATHI RESIDENCY" comprised in the schedule A herein above, with a built up area of 1,176 sq. feet, together with proportionate undivided share of 279.63 Sq. feet and interests in the land comprised in the Schedule A hereinabove (including one half part in depth of the joints between the ceiling of the apartment and the floor of the apartment above it, and internal and external walls between such levels) together one covered car parking in the basement floor, bearing No.D-1, with all the common amenities, inclusive of all the rights and interests as to, the ingress and egress to and from the Schedule A Property and as to the common areas such as passage, lobbies, staircase and other areas of common use, with building thereon standing jointly in the names of Smt. S. Pushparekha W/o Sri. A. Rajakumar and Sri. A. Rajakumar S/o Sri. A. Arunachalam.

A/c No. HL 35243279815

3) Name of the Borrower/Mortgager/Guarnotor :(1) Smt. Sindhu Priya R D/o Sri. Rajkishore. P

Demand Notice date : 22.09.2023

Loan outstanding amount as per demand notice : Rs.27,09,672/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Nine Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Two Only) as on 20.09.2023. You are also liable to pay further interest from 21.09.2023 together with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc.

Possession Taken on : 04.12.2023

Present Loan outstanding amount :Rs.27,56,501/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Fifty Six Thousand Five Hundred One Only) as on 26.11.2023 and further interest at contractual rate from 27.11.2023 with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property : SCHEDULE A PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Survey No.260 (part) measuring 6A-26G (26911.39 smt), Survey No.268 measuring 4A-04G (16591.96 smt) and Survey No.269 measuring 5A-00G (20234.13 smt) of Bandmeutt Layout, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore measuring 63737.48 smt and bounded on:East by : Sy No.206, West by : Sy No.205, North by: Part of the Sy No.206,South by: Sy No.205. **SCHEDULE B PROPERTY:** The part land of carved out of Survey Nos.260 (part), 268 and 269 totally measuring 14400.00 sqmt and bounded as follows: East to West : (62.101 + 89.96)/2 mtr, North to South : (174.5 + 177.191)/2 mtr, Boundaries: East by: Part of Sy No.268 retained by KHB, West by: 18.00 mtr wide road, North by: HIG-30 and commercial site of KHB layout, South by : Road and park of KHB layout. **SCHEDULE C PROPERTY:** Apartment bearing No.B-216 on the Second Floor in Block No.'B' measuring SBA of 84.58 sqm (Eighty Four Point Five Eight Only) inclusive of proportionate share of common areas & consisting of Hall/ Kitchen/ Balconies/ Wash area/ and 2 Bed Rooms and 2 Toilet cum bath rooms, with building thereon standing in the name of Smt. Sindhu Priya.R D/o Sri. Rajkishore.P. The apartment being marked in red color in the plan. Related undivided right, title land interest in the land comprised in the "B" schedule property is 46.79 sqm [14400.00 sqm (extent of land)/26,031.66 sqm (total super built-up area) X 84.58 sqm (super built-up area of unit)] and bounded on: East by : Courtyard, West by: Open Space, North by: Entrance Lobby, South by: Open Space.

The above mentioned Borrowers/Guarantor/Mortgagers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers/Guarantor/Mortgagers and the Public in general that, the undersigned being the authorised officer of State Bank of India, (RACPC-4), Whitefield, Bengaluru has taken possession of the properties described herein above, in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section(4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security The Borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with aforesaid properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of the **STATE BANK OF INDIA** for amount as mentioned against their names with further interest accred thereon.

The Borrowers/guarantor's/Mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 04.12.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer & Chief Manager
State Bank of India, (RACPC-4), Whitefield, Bengaluru.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that My client **Sri. Madhivanan Natarajan**, S/o Natarajan, Aged about 48 years Residing at No.34, 4th Cross, "Shakthi Nilayam", Nandini Street, Ramamurthy Nagar, Bangalore- 560 016, hereby informs that, the Original Registered Gift Deed dated 21.08.2020 bearing Document No.BNS-1-04950-2020-21 of Book-1, Stored in CD No. BNSD1082 in the office of sub- registrar Banasavadi, Bangalore, which have been lost/misplaced while my client traveling Ramamurthy Nagar main Road on 01.09.2023. My client has also lodged a police complaint No.0832501/2023 on 02.12.2023 before Crime Branch Bengaluru City Police. Any person/s in possession of the aforesaid document may return the same to me or anyone having any sort of claim over the said property may lodge their objections in writing **within 7 days** from this day to the undersigned.

Sri. Fliestun Joseph Rebello Advocate
JUSTICIA ADVOCATES & LEGAL CONSULTANTS",
No. 1/1, 2nd Floor, 14th Main, East of Chord Road,
Vijayanagar, Bangalore - 560 040 M: 9481517330

PUBLIC NOTICE

The public are hereby informed that, my clients 1. Sri.P.Subramanya, Son of Papanna, 2. Smt.Manjula, W/o P.Subramanya,3. Sri.Ananda Kumar.S, S/o P.Subramanya,4. Kum.Sushma, D/o P.Subramanya, All are residing at House No.200, Nethravathi layout, Devasandra, K.R Puram,angalore -560036, have cancelled/revoked the General Power of Attorney dated 29/04/2019, vide Document No.DNH-4-00066/2019-20 in the Book -4, registered in the office of the Sub Registrar, Devanahalli in favour of 1. Sri.D.R.Madhusudhan,Son of D.S.Rajanna, Residing at Hittarahalli village, Handrahalli, Boodigere, Bengaluru Rural District - 562129,2. Sri.D.R.Mahendra, Son of D.S.Rajanna,R/at Hittarahalli Village, Handrahalli, Boodigere, Bengaluru Rural District -562129. By virtue of notice dated 15/07/2023 and by virtue of cancelation of General power of Attorney deed dated 17/10/2023, which is registered as Doc.No.GNR-4-00322/2022-23 of Book-4, in the office of Sub-Registrar Ganganagar, Bengaluru. And thereby cancelled all rights conferred by my clients to the above said party in respect of the schedule property.

Hence. The public notice at large are hereby informed not to deal or enter into any kind of transactions with the said D.R.Madhusudhan and D.R.Mahendra , in respect of the schedule property, if any transaction are entered upon, the same shall not be binding on my client's right and interest over the said property and my client's will not be responsible for the same. Any transactions in respect of the schedule property belonging to my client's made by the said Attorney shall not bind on my client's to any extent whatsoever. Any person/s dealing with the schedule property other than with my client's, will do so at his/her/their risks.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the land bearing Sy. No.193, measuring 0-04.00.00 guntas of situated at Handrahalli Village, Channarayapatana Hobli, Devanahalli taluk, Bengaluru Rural district, and bounded on the

East by : Land of Chikkappaiah,
West by : 16 feet Road,
North by : Land of R.Mahalakshmi,
South by : Land of Thimmaraju,

JAMUNA .T.B, ADVOCATE
No.109,10th Cross, J.C.Layout, K.R.Puram,
Bengaluru-560 036. Dated: 5-12-2023

PUBLIC NOTICE
(LOSS OF DOCUMENT)

My client **G. ILANGOVAN,** S/o. Late. Sri.P.Govindan, Residing at # 320, 2CM, OMBR Layout, Behind Palloti Church, Kalyan Nagar Post, Bangalore-560 043, is the sole and absolute owner of all that Residential Property Bearing Municipal Corporation **No.6,** situated at **I.T.C.Road, R.S.Palya, New BBMP Ward No.28, (Kammanahalli), Lingarajapuram, Bangalore,** he had acquired the same by way of a WILL vide dated:13-10-1989 executed by his late father Sri.P.Govindan, and the said original WILL has been lost and misplaced by my client while shifting his residence.

That the finder if any may please contact the undersigned who will be suitably rewarded for the same.

ABDUL LATEEF KHAN
M.A.,LL.B., **Advocate,**
No.16, 12th Cross, B.S.A. Road,
1st Stage, Pillanna Garden, B'lore-84.
M : 9845110533
Place : Bangalore Date : 06-12-2023

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE NOTICE

The General public and parties to the case is hereby informed that the below mentioned advocate has been appointed as court commissioner by Hon'ble City Civil & Sessions Judge, Bengaluru (CCH.2) in FDP.No.159/2016 to conduct public auction in respect of the below mentioned schedule property on **13-12-2023** at **11:30 A.M** on the spot of the schedule property as per the Hon'ble Court order.

The reserve price of the schedule property is fixed at Rs. 2,50,000,00-00 (Rupees Two Crores Fifty Lakh only).

Therefore, I hereby call upon the general public, petitioner and respondents to participate in the public auction sale as on above mentioned date and time. The successive bidder has to deposit 25% of the bid amount by way of DD with Court Commissioner on the same day or next day in the name of **The Registrar City Civil Court, Bengaluru** and the balance sale amount shall be deposited as directed by the Hon'ble Court within stipulated time fixed after court sale on 18-12-2023 at 11.00 AM before the above mentioned Court.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of property bearing C.T.S. No. 12/22, Udani Layout, Cambridge Road, Ulsoor, Bengaluru-560 008 marked as A, B, C & D and consist of ground floor and first floor, measuring East West 35 ft, North South: 50 ft totally measuring 1750 Sq ft and bounded on: **East by:** Property belonging to plaintiff and defendant No.1 marked as J,H,G,E,F,C & B,J,H,C, **West by:** Road, **North by** :Site No. 0, **South by:** Site No. M.

RAMACHANDRA
Advocate/Court Commissioner
No.89 (Old. No.1834) 1st Floor, 3rd
Cross, Sampige Road, Malleshwaram,
Bengaluru-560003. Mob: 9448557717.

DOCUMENTS LOST

I, RATHNA RAJU, W/O Late G. Raju, aged about 55 years, R/ no. 09, No. 27/28, near Colosseo Apartment, 1st cross, Marathahalli, Bengaluru -560037, do hereby inform to the general public that I am the owner of the house property at the Govt. Sy. No. 97, Rachenahalli Village, measuring 1500 Sq. Feet., bounded on: East by: Site no. 1216, West by: Road, North by: Site no. 1254and South by: Site no. 1252, the SALE DEED, dt; 30/05/2007 of which is registered as a document with an Identification no. BNS-1-00688 -2007 -08 and its HAKKU PATRA, bearing no. 7962. The said documents have been lost on the 17th of November 2023 afternoon, after I got a few xerox copies of the aforesaid documents at Frazer town area at Bangalore and later I went for some shopping. During this transit, I have lost my aforesaid documents. In spite of my best efforts, I could not trace out the same and in this regard, I had lodged a complaint/Lost Report Complaint at Police Unit, Bangalore City, vide Lost Report No. 0812125/2023. With respect to the said matter, an Affidavit has been sworn before Smt. S. VIJAYALAKSHMI, Adv. & Notary Public, Viveknagar, Bangalore -560047. If anybody finds the said documents or is in possession, kindly handover the same to me at the aforesaid address or contact my Advocate Smt. S. VIJAYALAKSHMI, named above on her no. 9342749525/9141304170.

BEFORE THE HON'BLE III ADDITIONAL DISTRICT CONSUMER REDRESSAL COMMISSION, AT: BANGALORE

C.C. No. 28/2023

BETWEEN : Smt. Paromita Sengupta
...COMPLAINANT
AND : Shri. AN Danish **...OPPOSITE PARTY**

(ss/notice for service by advertisement in a daily newspaper)

ISSUE SUMMONS TO OPPOSITE PARTY

To. Shri. A B DANISH Proprietor of RD Design and Manufacturer, #22 Rajeev Gandhi Circle Kebbe Halli Sunkadakatte, Bangalore, 560091

Whereas, the Complainant has instituted a complaint under Section 35 of the Consumer Protection Act, 2019 in C.C. No. 28/2020 against you, before this Court for deficiency of service and other relief/s and you are hereby summoned to appear in this court in person or by a pleader on the 30/12/2023 answer the same, failing which the complaint will be disposed off as ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal this 29th day of November at Bangalore

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/- Asst. Registrar-Com-
Assistant Administrative Officer
Bangalore Urban 3rd Addl District Consumer
Disputes Redressal Commission 1st floor, BMTC B
Block,TTMC Building K.H. Road, Shanthinagar,
Bengaluru-560027

ADVOCATE FOR COMPLAINANT
Ayantika Mondal
Prime Legal
No: 39/2, 2nd floor, A.S.V.N. BUILDING,
K.G. Road, Bangalore-560009

PUBLIC NOTICE

Please be informed that my client has entered into an Agreement To Sell to purchase the schedule property from **Mrs. B. LAKSHMI DEVI,** W/o. B. Ramana Reddy, Aged about 39 years, Residing at 223/B, 17 th "C" Main Section, Sector-4, HSR Layout, Bangalore – 560 102.

Any person/s having any claim, right, title or interest in the schedule property may write to the undersigned with documentary proof **within 10 days** from the date of publication of this notice and if no valid objections are received within the stipulated time, my client will proceed to purchase the schedule property, subject to other terms of the said agreement of sale, with assumptions that there are no objections or claims from any person/s against my client purchasing the schedule property following the aforesaid agreement of sale.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable **Property bearing Site No.28, having Khata No.789, Present BBMP Katha bearing No. 3981/789/154/1/28, Assessment Registered No.154/1, measuring East to West 60 +56/2 and North to South 53 + 50/2, Totally measuring 2987 Sq.feet,** which consists of **1 Stilt Floor, 1 Ground Floor and 3 upper floors, 795 square meter or 8557 square feet of Super built-up area,** having RCC roofed, vitrified flooring, along with joints between the ceiling of the house and floor of the space above it and internal and external walls such level as with concealed wiring with common access areas of the building like entrance foyer, common corridors in all floors, staircases including landing up to the terrace, along with necessary valves, starters etc., with all civil amenities, situated at **Doddakannalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk** and Bounded on.

East By : Remaining Portion belongs to Ammaiya, **West By :** Site No.29,
North By : Site No.26 and 27, **South By :** Road

Siva Law Associates, Advocate
No. 22/1, 1 st Floor, 7 th Cross, Behind Wilson Garden Police Station,
Wilsongarden, Bengaluru – 560 027.

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Bank of India BOI

Bengaluru Zone
# 11, Kempegowda Road, Bengaluru-09.
Tel: 080-2295 9407/08, E-mail: Bengaluru.ARD@bankofindia.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)]

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) ACT 54 OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

'We, **Bank of India** had issued Demand Notices under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of addressees at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. Further, Bank had served the said demand notices by affixture at the addresses given. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

Chikkaballapur Branch

1. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : (1) Mr. K Sai Prathap (Borrower) S/o K Ramu **Address:** Behind Indian Oil Petrol Bunk, Perasandra Village and Post, Mandikal Hobli, Chikkaballapur-562101, **(2) Mr. Kaaluva Venkataprasad** S/o Late Kaaluva Ramu Address: #4-129, Balijapali, Obuladevara Cheruvu, Ananthapur-515581.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Nature of Facility	Sanctioned Limits	Date of Sanction	Outstanding Dues
Housing Loan 846375110000003	Rs.10,00,000 /-	02.03.2022	Rs.6,90,102.63

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 6,90,102.63 (Rupees Six Lakhs Ninety Thousand One Hundred Two and Six Three Paisa) together with interest from **28.11.2023.**

NPA Date : 28.11.2023 **Demand Notice Dated : 29.11.2023**

DESCRIPTION OF THE SECURED ASSET: All the pieces and Parcels of land situated at several House list No 105/28-A, New House List No 424, Perasandra Village and Gram Panchayat, Mandikal Hobli, Chikkaballapur District, 30*38 1/2 with of land admeasuring 1200 Sqft. Owned by Mr K Sai Pratap and bounded on: **East by :** VP Road, **West by :** Site No.21, **North by :** RamaKrishna Reddy Land, **South by :** Site No 28.

Devanahalli Branch

2. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor: (1) Mr. C M Munegowda S/o Late Munishamappa, **Address:** S/o Late Munishamappa, No 28, Shanthinagar, Devanahalli-562110. **(2) Mr. M Srinivas** S/o Muniyappa, **Address:** Singavara Village, Venkatagiri Kote Post, Devanahalli Taluk-562110.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Nature of Facility	Sanctioned Limits	Date of Sanction	Outstanding Dues
Housing Loan 845462610000005	Rs.34,50,000/-	13.10.2013	Rs.21,80,707.27

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 21,80,707.27 (Rupees Twenty one Lakhs Eighty Thousand Seven Hundred Seven and Two Seven Paisa) together with interest from **28.11.2023 .**

NPA Date : 28.11.2023 **Demand Notice Dated : 29.11.2023**

DESCRIPTION OF THE SECURED ASSET : All that Part and Parcels of Property bearing Khata No.823/429/2/28, 823/429/2/27 & 823/429/2/27 measuring area 5820 Sq.Ft, Situated at Ward No.22, Division No.4, Budigere Road, Shanthinagar Extn, Devanahalli Town, Devanahalli Tq, Bengaluru Rural Dist and bounded on: Property bearing Khata No.822/429/2/27 area 60*42(2520 Sq.Ft.) and 822/429/2/27 area East to West 60Ft North to South on Eastern Side 12 ½ Ft and on Western Side 17 ½ Ft (900 Sq.Ft) total 3420 Sqft, East by : By Road, West by : By Site No 36 Sy No 429/2, North by : By Sy.No.429/2 belong to Mahesh, South by : By Site No 28. Property bearing Khata No: 822/429/2/28 area 60*40(2400 Sq Ft) **East by :** Road, **West by :** Site No.35, **North by :** Site No.27, **South by :** House of Akkamahdevi in site No.29.

Koramangala Branch

3. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor: (1) Mrs. Lynette Maceline Fernandez (Borrower) Address: No.22, ARK Angel, Anugraham, 12th Cross, Shanti Nagar, Gajendra Nagar, Bangalore-560030. **(2) Mr. Michael Basil Mandez (Guarantor) Address:** No.22, ARK Angel, Anugraham, 12th Cross Shanti Nagar, Gajendra Nagar, Banglore- 560030.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Nature of Facility	Sanctioned Limits	Date of Sanction	Outstanding Dues
Housing Loan 847975110000070	Rs.6.21.000/-	30.06.2020	Rs.5,73,877.19 /-
Top Loan 847962810000002	Rs.19.27.000/-	13-07-2020	Rs. 17,57,471.40 /-

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 23,31,348.59 (Rupees Twenty Three Lakhs Thirty one Thousand Three Hundred Forty Eight and Paisa Five Nine) together with interest from **29.11.2023.**

NPA Date : 28.11.2023 **Demand Notice Dated : 29.11.2023**

DESCRIPTION OF THE SECURED ASSET : All that piece and parcel of the Residential Immovable Property bearing No.6 "ANUGRAHAM", 12th Cross, Anepalaya, Gajendra Nagar, Adugodi Post, Bangalore- 560030. The **Boundaries of the Proproty : East by :** Road, **West by :** Annaiahppa's Land, **North by :** Boraiah's House, **South by :** Remaining Portion of the same No.6.

Richmond Town Branch

4. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor: (1) Mrs. Neetu Chouhan W/o Mr. Ramesh K Chouhan (Borrower-Mortgagor), Residing at No. 15, 2nd Cross, C.S.I. Compound, Mission Road, Opposite YWCA Hostel, Bangalore-560027. **(2) Mr. Ramesh K Chouhan** S/o Khaniyalal (Co-Borrower) Residing at No.15, 2nd Cross, C.S.I. Compound, Mission Road, Opposite YWCA Hostel, Bangalore-560027.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Nature of Facility	Sanctioned Limits	Date of Sanction	Outstanding Dues
Home Loan	Rs. 31,00,000/-	24.03.2014	Rs.24,90,745/-
Top-Up Loan	Rs. 41,00,000/-	24.08.2021	Rs.40,54,414.30

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 65,45,159.30 (Rupees Sixty Five Lakhs Forty Five Thousand One Hundred and Fifty Nine and Thirty Paise) together with interest from **28.11.2023.**

NPA Date : 28.11.2023 **Demand Notice Dated : 01.12.2023**

Home Loan and Top-Up Loan: ITEM NO. I : Site bearing No.P-11, formed out of Sy. No. 73/2A1, Municipal Khatha No. 4125, PID No. 30519, situated at Maralur Layout, Maralur Village, Maralur Extension, Municipal Ward No. 29, Tumkur Town, measuring East to West: 40 Feet, North to South on the Eastern side: 48 Feet and on the Western side: 30 Feet, with a residential building thereon. **Bounded On The : East by :** 30Feet Road, **West by :** Site bearing No. B-4 & High tension Margin Space, **North by :** Site bearing No. P-12 and **South by :** High tension Margin Space.

ITEM NO. II : Site bearing No. B-4, formed out of Sy. No. 73/2A1, Municipal Khatha No. 4287, PID No. 66408, situated at Maralur Layout, Maralur Village, Maralur Extension, Municipal Ward No. 29, Tumkur Town, measuring East to West: 40 Feet, North to South on the Eastern side: 35 Feet and on the Western side: 30 Feet belonging to Mrs. Neetu R. **Bounded On The: East by :** Site bearing No. P-11 & High tension Margin Space, **West by :** 30 feet Road, **North by :** Site bearing No. B-3 and **South by :** High tension Margin Space and thereafter Road.

Mangalore Branch

5. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor: (1) Praveen Kumar J S/o J Sadashiva Acharya 2 24 1 Shri Durga Nivas Koila Rayee Vilaage Bantwal Mangalore Dakshina Kannada-575002. (2) Mrs. Pooja W/o Praveen Kumar J 2 24 1 Shri Durga Nivas Koila, Rayee Vilaage Bantwal Mangalore Dakshina Kannada-575002.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Nature of Facility	Sanctioned Limits	Date of Sanction	Outstanding Dues
Housing Loan A /C 844075110000282	Rs 4,00,000/-	28-09-2018	Rs.3,08,620.51
SSEPL LOAN 844060810000015	Rs 1,50,000/-	12-06-2023	Rs.1,45,006.00
STAR MORTGAGE TERM LOAN 844062610000045	Rs 5,96,000/-	06-03-2018	Rs.6,57,706.09

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 11,11,332.60 (Rupees Eleven Lakh Eleven Thousand Three Hundred Thirty Two Rupees Sixty paisa) together with interest from

NPA Date : 28.11.2023 **Demand Notice Dated : 29.11.2023**

Home Loan and Top-Up Loan: ITEM NO. I : Principle Security

EQM of property situated at R S No: 2-67/15 measuring 111.29 sq. Mtrs in SY no 98/5 situated in Rayee village of Bantwal taluk and within the registration of sub registrar Bantwal ,Dakshina Kannada and comprised in: Sy.No-98/5, Kissam-converted, Extent-02.75, 111.29 Sq Mtrs, Property No-151100203500220012, **Boundaries : North :** Portion of the same Sy.No.98/5, **South :** Portion of the same Sy.No.98/5, **East :** Portion of the same Sy.No.98/5, **West :** Portion of the same Sy.No.98/5.

HSR Layout Branch

6. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor: (1) Mrs. Rajeshwari V (Borrower) W/o Muniraju 1st main, 4th Cross, Vinayaka Nagar, Kengeri, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560060. **(2) Mr. Muniraju G (Guarantor)** S/o Gopalappa 1st main, 4th Cross, Vinayaka Nagar, Kengeri, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560060.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Nature of Facility	Sanctioned Limits	Date of Sanction	Outstanding Dues
Houising Loan (843875110000075)	Rs.22,00,000/-	16.10.2018	Rs.24,28,561.29

Total Liability Amount: Rs.24,28,561.29 (Rupees Twenty Four lakhs Twenty Eight thousand Five hundred sixty one and paise Twenty Nine) together with interest from **29.11.2023**

NPA Date : 28.11.2023 **Demand Notice Dated : 29.11.2023**

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY : All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.6 (old No.540/2) Present BBMP Khata No.958/1/836/1/540/2/6 formed in converted sy No.191/3 situated at Kengeri village and Hobli, Bengaluru South tq, Measuring East to West -40 Feet ,North to South -13 feet, admeasuring 520 Sq.ft and **bounded on the : East By :** Property No 3, **West By :** 23 ft Road, **North By :** Property No 5, **South By :** 4 ft common passage and then property of Sri Renukaiah.

J P Nagar Branch

7. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor: (1) Mr. Ramachandra K Patil Flat No.104, First Floor, C Block, ACAS Cresent Square Doddakamanahalli, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South-560076 and No.117, 11th Block, 2nd Main, 4th Cross, Further Extension To Anjanapura 11th Block, Near Arya Hamsa Apartments, Gottigere, Bangalore-560083. **(2) Mrs. Sunitha Ramachandra Patil** Flat No.104, First Floor, C Block, ACAS Cresent Square Doddakamanahalli, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South-560076 and No.117, 11th Block, 2nd Main, 4th Cross, Further Extension To Anjanapura, 11th Block, Near Arya Hamsa Apartments, Bangalore South Gottigere-560083.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Nature of Facility	Sanctioned Limits	Date of Sanction	Outstanding Dues
Housing Loan (841375110000271)	Rs. 33,60,000/-	13.01.2018	Rs. 42,73,076.11
Personal Loan (841360210000046)	Rs. 2,50,000/-	06.08.2018	Rs. 2,49,874/-

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 45,22,950.11 (forty five lakhs twenty two thousand nine hundred and fifty and paise eleven) together with interest from **29.11.2023**

NPA Date : 29.11.2023 **Demand Notice Dated : 29.11.2023**

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY : Equitable Mortgage of property situated at Residential Flat No 104, First Floor, C Block, ACAS CRESENT SQUARE, BBMP Khatha No.48/125/2, Old Khatha No.137, Sy No. 125/2, Doddakamanahalli, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South, Bangalore- 560076 and **bounded on : North :** Sri Narasimhappa's Property, **South :** Sri Arjunappa's Property, **East :** Sri Munivenkatappa's Property, **West :** Kammanahalli Main Road.

You are here by called upon to pay **Bank of India,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Bank of India** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Bank of India** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower / Guarantors / Mortgager including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Bank of India** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(8) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 01.12.2023
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Bank of India.

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Released by Pakistan's finance ministry for general elections to the election commission

ISRAEL WIDENS OFFENSIVE IN SOUTH GAZA AFTER NORTH

GAZA STRIP

Israel intensified its bombardment in and around Gaza's second largest city early Tuesday, as ambulances and private cars came racing into a local hospital carrying people wounded in a bloody new phase of the war in Gaza.

Under U.S. pressure to prevent further mass casualties, Israel says it is being more precise as it widens its offensive into southern Gaza after obliterating much of the north. Aerial bombardment and the ground offensive have already driven three-fourths of the territory's 2.3 million people from their homes.

At the Nasser Hospital in Khan Younis, ambulances brought dozens of wounded people in throughout the night. At one point, a car pulled up and man emerged carrying a boy in a bloody shirt and whose hand had been blown off.

"Where is the Red Cross? where is the United Nations?" a woman screamed outside the emergency department. "My children, since 10 pm, are still under the rubble."

Satellite photos taken Sunday showed tanks and troops massing outside Khan Younis, the latest target of the offensive, which was home to more than 400,000 before the war.

Israel has ordered people out of nearly two dozen neighbourhoods instead of the entire region, as it did in the north. But with most of Gaza's population already packed into the south, cramming U.N. shelters and family homes, there are few places left to go. Israel has barred people who fled the north earlier in the war from returning. Palestinians say that as Israel continues to strike across the besieged territory, there are no areas where they feel safe, and many fear that if they leave their homes they will never be allowed to return.

Israel says it must dismantle Hamas' extensive military infrastructure and remove it from power in order to prevent a repeat of the Oct. 7 attack that ignited the war. The surprise assault through the border fence saw Hamas and other Palestinian militants kill about 1,200 people, mostly civilians, and capture some 240 men, women and children.

The Israeli military says it makes every effort to spare civilians and accuses Hamas of using them as human shields as it fights in dense residential areas, where it has a labyrinth of tunnels, bunkers, rocket launchers and sniper nests.

But the militant group is deeply rooted in Palestinian society, and its determination to end decades of open-ended Israeli military rule is shared by most Palestinians, even those opposed to its ideology and its attacks on Israeli civilians. That will complicate any effort to eliminate Hamas without causing massive casualties and displacement.

NOTICE UNDER ORDER-V RULE 20(1)(A) C.P.C

IN THE COURT OF THE REVENUE DIVISIONAL COMMISSIONER, CENTRAL DIVISION, CUTTACK

No. 5796 /P. **Dated 23/11/2023**

To, Kanti Kapoor, S/o Late Saligram Kapoor, at No.1, Commissariat road, Bangalore-560025.

Take Notice that the above Case R.C No-18/2022 has been presented in the Court of **THE REVENUE DIVISIONAL COMMISSIONER, CENTRAL DIVISION, CUTTACK,** by the Petitioner M/s. Shree Sitala Ventures (P) Ltd., Represented through its Director, Shri Jitendra Kumar Patra, U/s 37 (1), (OCH) & (PFL) Act 1972, For Correction of RoR

You are hereby directed to appear before this Court on **22/12/2023** at **10:30 A.M** in person or through your pleader or to file objections if any in this Case R.C No.18/2022, in case of failure to appear on this date and time fixed, it will be heard, declare exparte in your absence accordingly to law & order will be passed as the Court may deem fit.

Given under my hand & Seal of this Court this 23rd day of November 2023.

By Orders of RDC
Sd/- Court Officer
Court of the R.D.C
Central Division, Cuttack

Government of Odisha
Skill Development and Technical Education Department
Directorate of Technical Education & Training, Odisha
At-Killamaidan, PO-Buxibazar, Cuttack-753001
Phone No- 0671 2301061, e-mail: dtetorissa@gmail.com

NOTICE RE-INVITING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

For selection of a professional agency/firm to provide Training on Life Skills including Entrepreneurship and Management and Smart Technology to Diploma students of Government Polytechnics, Odisha, Jajpur of Odisha

No. DTET/2023-24/16968 **Date: 04.12.2023**

KK-321: The Directorate of Technical Education and Training, Odisha (DTE&T), intends to re-invite both technical and financial proposals for engagement of Professional Agency/Firm to provide Training on Life Skills including Entrepreneurship and Management and Smart Technology to Diploma students of Government Polytechnics, Odisha. The details of scope of work, eligibility criteria, terms & conditions and proposals submission details can be downloaded from DTE&T Odisha website https://dtetodisha.gov.in/en/tender/ from **05th December'2023**. Any addendum/corrigendum (if required) will be uploaded at DTE&T website mentioned above.

Sd/- DTE&T, Odisha, Cuttack

OIPR- 14004/11/0013/2324

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -1 BENGALURU

BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru -560001

SALE PROCLAMATION

FORM NO. 22

PROCLAMATION OF SALE UNDER RULE 38 AND 52(2) OF SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE INCOME TAX ACT, 1961 READ WITH THE RECOVERY OF DEBTS DUE TO BANKS AND BANKRUPTCY ACT 1993

RC No.7942/2014 in OA No.984/2013

State Bank of India and MR. R. BALAKRISHNA & Others

To: Sri Balakrishna R, Major, S/o. Sri Ramakrishna B., R/at Flat No G-3, G Floor of Apartment "Varshitha Heights", Horamavu Village, K. R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk. **...Defendants**

The under mentioned property will be sold by '**online e-Auction**' through web site **http://drt.auctiontiger.net** on **10.01.2024** for recovery of an amount of **Rs.1,86,59,818/-** (Rupees one crore eighty-six lakhs fifty-nine thousand eight hundred and eighteen only)Includes costs and interest thereon as on 30.09.2023 along with future interest till realization of debt as per recovery certificate **RC No. 7166/2013 in OA No. 164/2011.**

Date and Time of Auction	**10.01.2024 Between 11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.**
Reserve Price	**Rs.47,50,000/-** (Rs Forty Seven Lakhs Fifty Thousand only)
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**Rs.4,75,000/-** (Rs Four Lakhs Seventy Five Thousand only)
Bid Increment Amount	**Rs.50,000/-** (Rupees Fifty Thousand only)
Date and Time of EMD and Tender Submission	**08.01.2024 by 03:00pm**

SCHEDULE PROPERTY : SCHEDULE A PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property Site bearing No.09, V.P. Khatha Bearing No.31 1 and Site bearing 10, V.P. Khatha bearing No.312, Covered out of converted land bearing number 129/2, conversion order of the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District Bangalore vides No. B Dis. ALN:SR:E:315/2002-03 dated 01-04-2003) measuring East to West 91 feet and North to South 78 feet, totally in all measuring 7098 square feet, situated at Horamavu village, K.R. Puram Hobli Bangalore East Taluk. Bounded as follows: East by; Site no.8, West by; Private property. North by; Road, South by; property belongs to Sri Ramanjinappa

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY: 243 square feet of undivided share, right, interest in the A schedule property.

SCHEDULE C PROPERTY: Two bed Room Apartment Flat Bearing No. G-3 in the Ground floor of the apartment building known as "VARSHITHA HEIGHTS" constructed on the A schedule property with super built up area of 1030 square feet with common areas passages, lobbies, staircases and other common use with one car parking Space.

For Terms and condition of sale visit website:http://drt.auctiontiger.net. M/s. e-Procurement Technologies Limited (abcProcure), Ahmedabad is the Service Provider to arrange e-auction platform. [Contact No.079-40016816/35/79/83/91] Email ID: support@auctiontiger.net].

For further details contact: Chief Manager, Mr. Raviprakash Harakere Vishwanath Shastry, Contact No. : 9535327281, State Bank of India, SAR Branch, JC Road, Bengaluru 560 002 for ascertaining the details of immovable properties and also for inspection of immovable properties, **E-mail: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in**

Sd/-
Recovery Officer-2,
DRT -1, Bengaluru

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 29.11.2023

SBI

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Retail Assets Central Processing Centre(RACPC-4), Whitefield (17753)
No.117, Ground Floor, Neil Rao Towers, Road No.3, EPIP Phase 1,
Whitefield Road, Bengaluru - 560 066, Tel: 080-28411010/1020
E-Mail: sbi.17753@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE

(UNDER SUB SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS & ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED ACT)

A notice is hereby given that the following Borrowers/mortgagors who have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loan facility availed by them from the Bank and the loan account has been classified as Non Performing Assets (NPA). The notices were issued to them under Section 13(2) of Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but they have been returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrowers & Guarantor & A/c No.	Details of Properties/ Address of Security Assets to be Enforced Borrower	Date of Notice	Date of NPA	Amount outstanding (As on the date of notice)
1	**A/c No. EB-HL Maxgain 35256755778** **1. Sri.Nalini Ranjan Deb** S/o Sri Kalyan Kumar Deb, #209, 2nd Floor, Burj Al Taqdeer Apatments, Al Souq Jumah Street, BLDG No.880, Way No.1063, Wadi Kabir, Muscat, OMAN – Postal Code 112. **Also at:** (i) House No.N-3-294, IRC Village, Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar-751015, Odisha. (ii) M/s Services and Trade Co LLC, PO Box No.823, RUWI, MUSCAT, OMAN –Postal Code 112. (iii) Flat No.174, First Floor, Block I, "SONESTA MEADOWS" BBMP Khata No.703, Tubarahalli village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk – 560066. **2. Smt. Jyotshna Deb** W/o Sri.Nalini Ranjan Deb, #209, 2nd Floor, Burj Al TaqdeerApatments, Al SouqJumah Street, BLDG No.880, Way No.1063, Wadi Kabir, Muscat, OMAN – Postal Code 112 **Also at:** (i) House No.N-3-294, IRC Village, Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar-751015, Odisha. (ii)Flat No.174, First Floor, Block I, "SONESTA MEADOWS" BBMP Khata No.703, Tubarahalli village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk – 560066	**SCHEDULE A PROPERTY : ITEM – I:** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing converted Sy No.40/2, measuring about 22 Guntas and converted Sy No.41, measuring about 1 Acre 4 Guntas, BBMP Katha No.704, {converted vide Conversion Order bearing No.ALN(EVH)SR.220/2009-10 dated 25.03.2010, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District} both are situated adjacent to each other at Thubarahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now coming under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, with all rights appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on: East by : Road, West by : Private Property North by : Land belonging to Venkatesh Reddy, South by : Land belonging to Prabhakar Reddy **ITEM – II :** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing converted Sy No.40/2, measuring about 15 Guntas and converted Sy No.41, measuring about 20 Guntas, BBMP Katha No.706 (portion) {converted vide Conversion Order bearing No.ALN(EVH)SR.221/2009-10 dated 25.03.2010, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District} both are situated adjacent to each other at Thubarahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now coming under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, with all rights appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on: East by: Road, West by: Land of Thoti Annayappa, North by : Land belonging to Venugopal Reddy, South by : Land belonging to R.Venkatesh Reddy **ITEM – III:** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing converted Sy No.40/2, measuring about 15 Guntas and converted Sy No.41, measuring about 20 Guntas, BBMP Katha No.706 (portion) {converted vide Conversion Order bearing No.ALN(EVH)SR.221/2009-10 dated 25.03.2010, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District} both are situated adjacent to each other at Thubarahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now coming under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, with all rights appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on: East by : Road, West by : Land of Thoti Annayappa, North by : Land belonging to Chikka Ramaiah Reddy, South by : Land belonging to Naga Reddy **ITEM – IV:** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing converted Sy No.40/2, measuring about 9 Guntas and converted Sy No.41, measuring about 11 Guntas, BBMP Katha No.703 {converted vide Conversion Order bearing No.ALN(EVH)SR.741/2007-08 dated 11.11.2008, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District} both are situated adjacent to each other at Thubarahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now coming under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, with all rights appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on: East by : Road, West by : Land of Thoti Annayappa, North by : Land belonging to Naga Reddy, South by : Land belonging to Mrs. Nanjamma **COMPOSITE SCHEDULE A PROPERTY:** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing converted Sy No.40/2, measuring about 1 Acre 21 Guntas and Sy No.41, measuring about 2 Acres 15 Guntas, both are situated adjacent to each other at Thubarahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now coming under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike and bears BBMP Katha No.703, 704 & 706 and totally measures 2 Acres 36 Guntas and all the properties together presently bears a common BBMP Katha No.703, with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on: East by: Road, West by : Land of Thoti Annayappa, North by : Land belonging to Chikka Ramaiah Reddy, South by : Land belonging to Prabhakar Reddy **SCHEDULE B PROPERTY:** 373.5 Sq.feet undivided right, title and interest in the immovable property mentioned in Schedule A above. **SCHEDULE C PROPERTY :** Flat bearing No.174, in the First Floor, in Block "I", measuring about 1132 sq.feet Super built up area, containing Two bedrooms, together with RCC Roofing, Vitrified flooring together with One covered car parking space, including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircases etc in the multistoried residential building complex known as **"SONESTAA MEADOWS"** constructed over Schedule A Property, standing jointly in the names of Mr.Nalini Ranjan Deb S/o Sri.Kalyan Kumar Deb and Smt. Jyotshna Deb W/o Mr. Nalini Ranjan Deb. Sale Deed dated 01.10.2015 has been registered in favour of Mr.Nalini Ranjan Deb S/o Sri.Kalyan Kumar Deb and Smt.Jyotshna Deb W/o Mr..Nalini Ranjan Deb in Book No.1 under Document No.MDP-1-04505-2015-16 stored in CD No.MDPD169 at the Office of Sub Registrar, Mahadevapura, Bengaluru on 01.10.2015.	**16.11.2023**	**08.11.2023**	**Rs.39,58,363/-** (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakh Fifty Eight Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Three Only) as on 14.11.2023. You are also liable to pay further interest at the contractual rate from 15.11.2023 on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges, etc.

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above Borrowers/Mortgagors are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount mentioned above along with future interst at contractual rate with incidential express cost, charges ect,within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of this notice under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Secutitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act, 2002.

Your kind attention is invited to provisions of sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act whereunder you can tender the entire amount of outstanding dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank only till the date of publication of the notice for sale of the secured asset(s) by public auction, by inviting quotations, tender from public or by private treaty. Please also note that if the entire amount of outstanding dues together with the costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is not tendered before publication of notice for sale of the secured assets by public auction, by inviting quotations, tender from public or by private treaty, you may not be entitled to redeem the secured asset(s).

Sd/- Authorised Officer & Chief Manager
State Bank of India
RACPC-4, Whitefield, Bengaluru

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 16.11.2023

CORRIGENDUM

I **R. Mahendravarma** practicing Advocate at Bangalore and I issued public notice on behalf of my client **Smt. Nagaveni** on 25.11.2023 in daily newspapers called Indian Express and Hosadigantha and in respect of loss of original **sale deed dated 24.06.2013** but in same publication wrongly printed as gift deed instated sale deed and please read same as sale deed.

R. Mahendravarma, Advocate
No.42, R.G.Nagar, M.S.Playa,
Bangalore-560097, M-7795488467.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The notice is hereby given to public that our client Mr.Tabreez Ahmed is intending to mortgage the schedule property and avail loan from Priamal Capital Housing Finance. If any person or persons or financial institution or Bank has any claim over the schedule property or any person or persons claim any right, title or interest, over the schedule property, the same may be lodged with the undersigned within seven days from today, along with relevant documents, failing which it will be presumed that the schedule property is free from any such claim and any claim received thereafter will not bind my client and would not be considered by my client.

SCHEDULE :

All that piece and parcel of the Flat No.101, on the Ground floor, in the building known as "Anam Mansion" having a super built up area 730sqft, with 150sqft, undivided share right title interest, Constructed on New Municipal No.09, (Earlier known Site No.09, in No.18), BBMP PID No.61-45-09, Situated at 9th cross Someshwaranagara Bangalore), Presently known and 8th cross, Someshwara Nagara Bangalore, Presently comes under BBMP Limit Ward No.144, (old No.51), measuring East to West: 15ft, North to South: 50ft, in all measuring 750sqft, and bounded on the: East by Property bearing No.10, West by Property bearing No.08, North by Road, South by Private property,

V.L. Associates
Advocates
No.56, Out House, 19th Main Road, 2nd Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560 010. Ph: 94819 00851/ 9743323668.
Place: Bangalore Date: 05.12.2023

DOCUMENT LOST

I, **Sridhara Murthy,** S/o Srinivasamurthy, Gudemaranahalli, residing at Magadi Taluk, Ramanagara District do hereby inform to the general public that, on 29/11/2023 at Gudemaranahalli, I have lost the document of my house property which was in the name of my mother Late Anusuyamma W/o of Late Srinivasamurthy, vide Original Doc. No. 484/1984-85, dated 12/5/1984. In this regard, I have lodged online complaint at Police Unit, vide lost Report No.0835820/2023. If anyone finds the above said document, please return the same to the below address.

Sridhara Murthy, S/o Srinivasa Murthy,
Gudamaranahalli, Magadi Taluk. Soluru Hobli,
Ramanagara District.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is brought to notice of general public that my client is intending to purchase the below mentioned schedule of property from its owner Sharvani Nandan W/o R. Raghunandan and R. Raghunandan S/o P.S. Ramamurthy. If any person/s or banks/ financial institutions/entities having any claim, right, title, interest in any manner whatsoever, may present their claims/objections/rights/title/interests in any manner whatsoever along with supporting documents within **15 days** to the undersigned, in default, my client shall presume that schedule property is free from encumbrances/claims/objections/third party rights and proceed to purchase Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of residential property bearing BDA No.336, New Municipal No.43 (Forty three), old PID No.22-71-43, New PID No. 108-W0068-1, situated at 58th Cross Road, 3rd Block, Rajajinagar, BBMP Ward Old No.22, New No.108, Bengaluru, measuring East to West (35+40)/2 and North to South (60+55)/2, totally measuring 2242.5 Sq.feet and bounded on: **East by:** Property No.335, **West by:** Property No.337, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Property No.309

K. DHIRAJ KUMAR, Advocate
"Pitru Chaya" No.804/A, 61st Cross, 5th Block, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010.
Phone: 9845255692

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client has negotiated to purchase the Property bearing House List No.256, as per Grama Panchayat Records Property No.150200301100128218, situated at Doddathogur Village, Begur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru, presently under the administrative Jurisdiction of Doddathogur Grama Panchayath, Bengaluru measuring East to West on Northern Side 40 Ft. and Southern Side 54 Ft. and North to South 40 Ft. in all measuring 1880 Sq.Ft., along with ground, First, Second, Third and Fourth Floor building measuring 4884 Feet., bounded on **East by:** Third Parties Property, **West by:** Road, **North by:** The property No.255 and **South by:** Road.

From its present owners Sri. Babu Reddy. K.R. S/o Late. Ramachandrappa and Smt Papannagari Samatha, W/o Sri. Venugopala K.R who are presently residing at House No.02, Madhusudhan Reddy Building, Near Durga Bakery back Side, Mangolia Layout, Doddathogur, Electronic City, Bengaluru-560 100.

If any persons having any right title or claim/objection or interest over the said property may lodge their objections/claims with documentary evidence within **15 days** from this day to the undersigned counsel. failing which my client shall deem that there are no claims/objections over the said property to proceed with the transaction. Further no claim shall lie against my client's in future in respect of the above said property.

RAGHAVENDRA .K P, Advocate
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Government of Karnataka

Public Works Department, Udupi Division, Udupi. (PIU)

Website : **https://www.kpwd.gov.in** Email:**eepwdudp02@gmail.com**

No EE/PWD/UDN/NIT/17/2022-23/AE-2 **Dated: 04.12.2023**

Short Term Tender Notice

The Tender for the following works are invited through e-procurement portal of the Government of Karnataka (Viz.www.eproc. karnataka. gov.in)

Sl No	Name of Work	Amount put to tender (in Rs)	EMD (in Rs)	Last date for Submission of tender in Eprocurement	Eligible Tenderer
1	**Construction of sheet roof at entrance of Ajjarakaadu Stadium in Udupi Taluk and District (I.No:6606)**	₹ 62,63,218.00	₹ 1,48,000.00	13.12.2023	CLASS-III K-PWD

Executive Engineer,
Public Works Department, Udupi Division Udupi.

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Limited (**"Arcil"**) acting in its capacity as Trustees mentioned in the Trust Colum hereunder under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) ("said Act") and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 ("said Rules") issued a demand notice dated mentioned in the demand notice Colum hereunder, calling upon the borrowers mentioned in the Borrower & Co borrower name Colum, the guarantors and the mortgagors to repay the amount, details of which are mentioned in the table below:

The borrower/guarantor(s)/mortgagor(s) having failed to repay the said amounts, notice is hereby given to the borrower/guarantor(s)/mortgagor(s) in particular and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the underlying Immovable Property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Sub-Section (4) of Section 13 of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on "AS IS WHERE IS & WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS" on the date mentioned below.

Sr. no	Borrower Name / Co-Borrower Name / Trust Name	Total Outstanding (In Rs.) / Due Date / as per Demand Notice Date	Date of Possession
1	**Mr. Chandranahalli Kalahuchappa Suresh / Trustee of Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-E-Trust.**	**Rs. 1,16,25,991.30/-** (Rupees One Crore Sixteen Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety One and Thirty Paisa Only) as on 08.02.2023 along with future interest at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount with effect from 09.02.2023 together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. **Demand Notice dated:** 09.02.2023	**30.11.2023**
	Description of Property : Property owned by Mr. Chandranahalli Kalahuchappa Suresh: All that piece and parcel Flat bearing No. 301, super built up area of 1855 Sq. ft., Type 3, Situated in 3rd Floor in "E" Block, Three bed rooms in N D Passion Elite Apartment, together with One covered car parking spaces, including 575 Sq. ft. undivided right, title and interest in the immovable property converted land (i) Sy. No. 87/1 measuring 1 acre 16 Guntas, (ii) Sy. No. 87/2 measuring 39 Guntas, (iii) Sy. No. 88/2 measuring 18 Guntas, situated in Kudlu village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, (totally measuring 2 Acres 33 Guntas or 1,23,057 Sq. ft.)		
2	**Mr.Johan Ajanth Kumar / Mr.Anthappa R.A. / Mrs. Pushpa Jyothi C. / Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-D- Trust**	**Rs.1,29,51,087.68/-** (Rupees One Crore Twenty Nine Lakhs Fifty One Thousand Eighty Seven and Sixty Eight Paisa Only) as on 20.06.2023 along with future interest at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount with effect from 21.06.2023 together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. **Demand Notice dated:** 20.06.2023	**30.11.2023**
	Description of Property : Property owned by Mr. Anthappa R.A.: All that piece and parcel of the house site bearing No. 166/3, situated at Doresani Palya Village, Bilekahalli Dakhle, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring East to West 24 feet and North to South 42 feet over which the building constructed i.e., 101 Sq. Mtrs. and bounded on the; East by: Property belongs to Sri. R.A. Ratnamani, West by: Private Property belongs to Papaiah, North by: Road and South by: Marisusaiah's Property		
3	**Mr. Micheal James @ M. James / Mrs. Mary Pushpa and / John Paul J / Arcil-Retail-Loan Portfolio 58-B-Trust**	**Rs.70,55,264.48/-** (Rupees Seventy Lakhs Fifty Five Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Four and Forty Eight Paisq Only) as on 18.07.2023 along with future interest at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount with effect from 19.07.2023 together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. **Demand Notice dated:** 18.07.2023	**30.11.2023**
	Description of Property : Property owned by Mr. Micheal James @ M. James: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Site No. 49, Khata No. 518, Assessment No. 213, 211, 38, Khaneshumari No. 49, Laggere Village, Peenya Grama Panchayath, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore measuring East to West 46 Feet and North to South 30 feet consisting a residential building with Electricity, Water and Sanitary facilities and Bounded on the East by: Others Property, West by: Road, North by: Site No. 48 and South by: Site No. 50		
4	**Mrs. Hema Malini V / Arcil Retail Loan Portfolio 036-A Trust**	**Rs.88,42,502.21/-** (Rupees Eighty Eight Lakhs Forty Two Thousand Five Hundred Two and Twenty One Paisa Only) as on 09.05.2023 along with future interest at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount with effect from 10.05.2023 together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. **Demand Notice dated:** 12.05.2023	**30.11.2023**
	Description of Property : Property owned by Mrs. Hema Malini V.: 50% Undivided Portion of all piece and parcel of residential immoveable property bearing Site No. Old Site No 50 New No 36, formed out Assessment No. 174 of Laggere, Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli Bangalore North Taluk and all the constructed area of the Ground Floor including all right, privileges and appurtenances thereto and site measuring East To West on Northern Side 38-00 Feet, East To West on Southern Side 40-00 Feet, North To South on Eastern Side 49-00 Feet, North To South on Western Side 46-00 Feet; all together equal to 926.25 Square Feet and all together bounded on the East By: Site No 49, West By: Property of Satyanarayana Society, North By: Site No 48 and South By: Road.		
5	**Mrs. Roopa Jaganath / Arcil Retail Loan Portfolio 036-A Trust**	**Rs.55,33,092/-** (Rupees Fifty Five Lakhs Thirty Three Thousand Ninety Two Only) as on 09.05.2023 along with future interest at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount with effect from 10.05.2023 together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. **Demand Notice dated:** 12.05.2023	**30.11.2023**
	Description of Property : Property owned by Mrs. Roopa Jagannath: 50% Undivided Portion of all piece and parcel of residential immoveable property bearing Site No. Old Site No 50, New No 36 formed out Assessment No 174 of Laggere, Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and all constructed area of the First and Second Floor including all right, privileges and appurtenances thereto and site measuring East To West on Northern Side 38-00 Feet, East To West on Southern Side 40-00 Feet, North To South on Eastern Side 49-00 Fee, North To South on Western Side 46-00 Feet; All together equal to 926.25 Square Feet and all together bounded on the East By: Site No 49, West By: Property of Satyanarayana Society, North By: Site No 48 and South By: Road.		
6	**Mr. Manjunath T / M/s Shivashakthi Hydraulics / Mrs. S. Kusuma / Trustee of Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-D-Trust.**	**Rs.63,13,432.37** (Rupees Sixty Three Lakh Thirteen Thousand Four Hundred Thirty Two and Thirty Seven Paisa Only) as on 08.02.2023 along with future interest at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount with effect from 09.02.2023 together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. **Demand Notice dated:** 08.02.2023	**30.11.2023**
	Description of Property : Property owned by Mr. Manjunath T.: All that Piece and Parcel of property bearing Site No. 10, B.B.M.P. Khatha No. 1322 of Ward No. 69, Khatha No. 897 of Assessment No. 86, Dasarahalli Nagarasabhe Ward No. 31, Khatha No. 1322 in Dasarahalli Nagarasabhe Office, Laggere Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring East to West 28 Feet and North to South 30 Feet, in total measuring 840 Sq. ft., consisting a R.C.C. roofed residential house and bounded on the North by: Site No. 9, South by: Site No. 11, East by: Others Property and West by: 20 Feet Road		

The borrower/guarantor(s)/mortgagor(s) in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned that Arcil is in lawful possession of the Immovable Property mentioned above and under Section 13(13) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002, the borrower/ guarantor(s)/mortgagor(s) or any person whatsoever, shall after receipt of this notice not transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise deal with/ alienate the Immovable Property, without prior written consent of Arcil and any dealings with the Immovable Property will be subject to the charge of Arcil for the amount as mentioned above demand notice column along with future interest at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc.

The borrowers'/guarantors'/mortgagors' attention is invited to the provisions of the Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the said Act, in respect of time available to redeem the above mentioned Immovable Property.

Place : Bangalore
Date : 06.12.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Ltd.

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IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE VII ADDL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, AT BENGALURU.

P & SC No. 681/2023

PETITIONER: 1. Smt. Bani Das, W/o. late Debashish Kumar Das, aged about 61 years, **2. Soham Das,** S/o. late Debashish Kumar Das, aged about 37 years, **3. Shreyas Das,** S/o. late Debashish Kumar Das, aged about 30 years, Petitioners No.1 to 3 are Residing at, No.C504, MBR Shangri La, Mysore Road, Near R.V College, Kengeri, Satellite town, Kengeri, Bengaluru-560060. **-V/s-**

RESPONDENT: ... NIL

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the above named has made petition to this court under section 372 of the Indian Succession Act, for the grant of Succession Certificate in favour of the Petitioners, in respect of schedule mentioned below. The below mentioned schedule has held by Debashish Das husband of the first petitioner Smt. Bani Das and Father of Petitioner No.2 and 3 herein who expired on 15-02-2021.

Interested parties are hereby called upon to appear before this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on **20-12-2023** at 11:00 A.M. inform to show cause against the petitioners failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declared as Ex-parte.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

The funds remaining in Public Provident Fund as per the bank authorities which are approximately Rs. 38,22,649.40/-. PPF account bearing No.10494974453 situated at State bank of India, Duliajan Branch.

Given under my hand & seal of the court on 05-12-2023.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Address For Service: **ANANDA .N**
M/s AG & Co. Advocates
at No. 14"A", 1st Floor, HMS Complex,
Cubbonpet Main Road, Bengaluru-560 002.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is given on behalf of my client **Sri. H N Nagaraju** S/o Lingappa that the property as more particularly described in the schedule hereunder and situated at Abbankuppe Village, Bidadi Hobali, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagara District which is held my above clients and they have decided to sell the said scheduled property. Therefore any person(s) having any claim in respect of the above referred property or part thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, charge, gift, maintenance, inheritance, possession, lease, tenancy, sub tenancy, lien, license, hypothecation, transfer of title or beneficial interest under any trust right of prescription or pre-emptionor under any Agreement or other disposition or under any decree, order or Awardor or the same will be mortagage to Piramal finance otherwise claiming, howsoever, are hereby requested to make the same known in writing together with supporting documents to the undersigned advocate at his office at No.36, Mayasandra, Chikkanahalli Post, Bengaluru south Taluk, Bengaluru- 562130 within a period of 7 days to 15 days and (both days inclusive) of the publication hereof failing which the claim of such person(s) will deemed to have been waived and/or abandoned.

SCHEDULE

All that piece or parcel Kaneshumari Site Bearing No. 82/15 Measuring extent of East to West 30 Feet and North to South 40 Feet situated at Abbanakuppe Village, Bidadi Hobali, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagara District. and bounded on as follows: **Easy By:** Government Road
West By: Narayana House
North By: Government Road
South By: Kumara House
Date: 05/12/2023

Sd/-Sudarshan M N Advocate

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that my client intends to purchase the Schedule Property from **1) MRS. RATHNAMMA,** aged about 61 years, R/at Koorandalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Malur Taluk, Kolar District **2) SMT.KRISHNAVENI,** Aged about 46 years, R/at 4th Cross, Kanaka Nagar, M.V.Extension, Hosakote Town, Bangalore Rural District, **3) SRI.H.V.KUMAR** aged about 42 years, **3a) Smt.Radha.N,** aged about 40 years, **3b) Mr.Vivek,** aged about 24 years, **3c) Ms.Swathi.K,** aged about 22 years, (sl No.3a to 3c are wife & children of Sri.H.V.Kumar and R/at No.227, Maruthi Layout, Malur Town, Kolar District) **4) SMT.V.KALAVATHI,** aged about 40 years, **5) SMT.JALAJA,** aged about 36 years, Sl No.4 & 5 are R/at No.100, 6th Cross, 2nd Main, HSR Layout, Bangalore (Sl No.1 to 5 are wife and Children of Late.Venkateshappa), along with agreement holder **SRI.H.N.VENKATESHA REDDY,** aged about 62 years, S/o Late H.R. Narayanareddy, R/at Hulimangala Hosakote Village, Lakkur Hobli, Malur Taluk, Kolar District.

Any person having any objection regarding the said sale transaction, may contact the undersigned advocate with relevant documents within **07 days** from the date of this publication failing which it shall be deemed that there is no objection of any nature and my client will complete the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the land bearing Sy.No.128 converted for industrial purpose, having E-Swattu PID No.151900802900120145, vide Khatha No.429 (as per the records of Gram Panchayat), vide Conversion order No.ALN/SR370/2007-08, dated 19-04-2008, passed by Deputy Commissioner, Kolar) Situated at Hulimangala Hosakote Village, Lakkuru Hobli, Malur Taluk, measuring 2 Acres or 8093.71 Sq Meters and bounded on East by : Road, West by : Land bearing Sy.No.58, North by : Land bearing Sy.No.129 belongs to Srinivasareddy, South by : Land bearing Sy.No.127 belongs to Peddareddy and children.

Sd/- **K.R.Bharadwaj & Associates,**
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Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD			SILVER			FOREX	
431.02 ▲	Sensex	69,296.14	₹1,090 ▲	24 carat (10 gm)	₹62,110	₹2,000 ▼	1 kg	₹78,500	▼ Dollar	83.37
168.30 ▲	Nifty	20,855.10	₹1,000 ▼	22 carat (10 gm)	₹58,000	₹20 ▼	10 gm	₹785	▼ Euro	90.20

Cos may file writs against GST on corp guarantees

Experts say levying GST on these guarantees to impact infra sector

MONIKA YADAV @ New Delhi

SEVERAL large corporate houses are planning to file writ petitions before high courts challenging the GST Council's recent decision to charge 18% GST on corporate guarantees given by the holding companies to their subsidiary companies, according to people in the know who didn't want to be identified.

As per experts, the Council's new ruling will weigh heavily on infrastructure sector as it is dependent upon external financing and borrowing for huge projects.

As per the rule, taxable value of corporate guarantees will be 1% of the guarantee amount or the actual consideration (paid for providing corporate guarantee), whichever is higher. This valuation will apply even if the recipient (subsidiary company) can't claim full input tax credit. This means GST will be applicable on these guarantees between related parties, and the value for taxation purposes will be determined using this proposed rule.

As per Manish Mishra, Partner and Head of Practice - Indirect Tax, JSA Advocates & Solicitors, guarantees are issued by the parent company at the behest of lending banks. Therefore the same should not be viewed as a service to the subsidiary. Guarantees by their basic nature qualify as actionable claims which are neither goods nor services. Hence the same cann't be brought under the GST net. "As per the commitment to the banks the parent company cannot charge a consideration to the subsidiary. Therefore the same could not be subject to GST in absence of consideration," Mishra said.

Questioning the valuation mechanism of taxable value, Mishra added that transfer pricing assessments are carried out at 0.25-0.30%. Hence, the valuation method of 1% of the lending amount is arbitrary and questionable. "When the statute prescribes the consideration for the service will be the value for taxing purposes, any deviation from the statute by way of a delegated legislation will be a subject matter of constitutional challenge" said Abhishek A Rastogi, founder of Rastogi Chambers.

"The higher value of 1% may be manifestly arbitrary in several cases, including when the service provider and the service recipient have mutually agreed the consideration for the service", added Rastogi.

Adani Group adds ₹2 lakh cr in m-cap

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

ADANI GROUP on Tuesday added nearly ₹2 lakh crore in market capitalisation (m-cap) as positive cues, including the election outcome in three states, have made the port-to-power conglomerate's 10-listed stocks a favourite among investors.

This was the largest single-day gain in m-cap since the Hindenburg report of January and it pushed the Group's combined m-cap close to ₹14 lakh crore mark. In the past one week, the Group's m-cap has grown from nearly ₹10.26 lakh crore to ₹13.88 lakh crore, a net addition of ₹3.62 lakh crore. With the recent gains, the m-cap of billionaire Gautam Adani-led companies is now inching towards the pre-Hindenburg time. The Group's m-cap stood at ₹18.20 lakh crore before the short-seller accused them of manipulating stock prices.

Buying across Adani pack picked up since the favourable Supreme Court proceeding of November 24 in the Hindenburg case. The stocks received another major kick on Sunday when Prime Minister Narendra Modi-led Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) clinched victory in three state elections.

"For investors, this is a big boost as they feel Adani Group will continue to boom under the BJP government. Other factors such as the waning effect of Hindenburg's allegations, fundraising by reputed investors, and aggressive expansion plan has again brought back focus on Adani Cos," an analyst said while requesting anonymity. Tuesday's strong gains can also be attributed to reports indicating that the US International Development Finance Corp (DFC) did not find the allegations of corporate fraud by short-seller Hindenburg Research relevant.

All 10 stocks in the Adani group clocked gains ranging from 7-20% with Adani Green Energy and Adani Energy Solutions gaining 20% each. The Group's flagship company Adani Enterprises Ltd (AEL) shares surged by 16.91%, increasing its market valuation by a substantial ₹48,809 crore. Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone (APSEZ) gained 15.3%, contributing ₹29,043 crore to the market cap.

Adani Energy and Adani Green Energy added over ₹55,600 crore to the Group's m-cap. Adani Power and Adani Total Gas registered gains of 15.81% and 19.88%, respectively. The cement firm Ambuja and ACC also contributed to the gains. NDTV witnessed an 18.48% rise in share price.

GROUP STOCKS' PERFORMANCE

M-cap added on Tuesday	Combined m-cap of Adani stocks
₹192,645 CR	₹13.88 L CR

ADANI STOCKS GAINED BETWEEN 17-20%

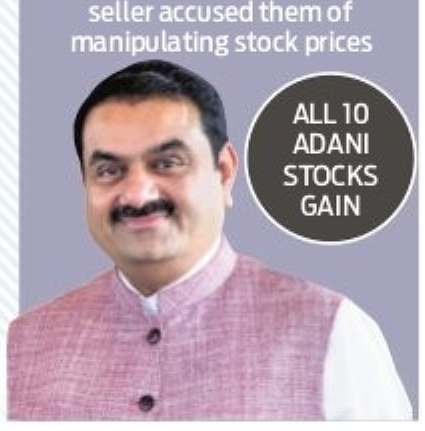
Promoter Gautam Adani's net worth surged by **$10.6** billion to **$70.8** billion

> **For investors, this is a big boost as they feel Adani Group will continue to boom under the BJP government**
>
> Analyst

This is largest single-day gain in mcap of Group companies since Hindenburg report

Group's m-cap has grown from nearly ₹10.26 lakh crore to ₹13.88 lakh crore in a week

Group's m-cap stood at ₹18.20 lakh crore before the short-seller accused them of manipulating stock prices



Ambuja revises offer price for Sanghi Industries

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

ADANI GROUP owned-Ambuja Cements on Tuesday revised the price of its open offer for Gujarat-based cement maker Sanghi Industries to ₹121.90 from ₹114.22 per share.

Ambuja on Tuesday said that it has acquired 14 crore equity shares of Sanghi Industries, representing 54.51% equity of the company, at ₹121.90 per equity share.

The remaining 57 lakh equity shares of the promoter group, representing 2.23% of the company, will be acquired separately at the revised price.

ACL in August had announced plans to acquire a 56.74% stake in Sanghi Industries from its existing promoter group - Ravi Sanghi & family.

The deal was then done at an enterprise value of ₹5,000 crore. The revision in offer price has pushed the enterprise value to ₹5,185 crore. As per a statement from Ambuja, Sanghi's cement factory, located in Gujarat's Kutch region, is the country's largest single-location cement and clinker unit by capacity. The acquisition also includes a captive jetty and a power plant.

Will overcome challenges in 3 months: Raveendran

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

BYJU RAVEENDRAN, founder of edtech firm Byju's, in an interactive leadership huddle attended by 50 senior leaders on Tuesday, said the company will overcome challenges in the next three months.

Raveendran said the company has been facing five challenges and that he refused to take easy way out as he fights not only for himself but for the entire company and millions of students that they serve.

Byju said the challenges became stronger around June-July, and he could have easily given up at that point, but he refused to take the easy way out. Despite the personal sacrifices he has made, including putting his entire personal wealth in the company, Byju said he remains dedicated to rebuilding the firm.

Byju discussed five challenges the company faced in 2023 -- litigation surrounding Term Loan B (TLB), which stems from a delayed audit and demands for a full refund from TLB lenders; an ED notice; closure of ongoing FY23 statutory audit; litigation surrounding the Davidson Kempner (DK) loan raised against Aakash Educational Services; and the current challenge to tackle resource optimisations to achieve profitability at the group level.

Arjun Mohan, CEO, said the its turnaround plan with the right-sized workforce with accountability being the key feature. Selling right products to right people without maximizing sales was the approach he urged team to follow in Byju's 3.0. Byju's 1.0 was offline, while 2.0 was about tech delivered context, and 3.0 will be about deep tech driven personalisations with the right approach and accountability to sales, Raveendran said.

ZestMoney to shut down; lays off 150 staff

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

DESPITE raising fresh capital from investors in August, beleaguered BNPL (buy now pay later) start-up ZestMoney will shut down its operations by the end of this month. It will let go of all 150 employees.

A source aware of this development said the management informed this decision to employees in a townhall meeting on Tuesday and they are in a state of shock as they never expected this coming. The management has assured employees that they will receive December salaries. The start-up raised the capital from its existing investors recently from Quona Capital, Flourish Ventures and Scarlet Capital, among others, and it said the new funding will help them drive business towards profitability.

ZestMoney claims it has over 17 million registered users. In March after an acquisition deal with PhonePe fell through, ZestMoney laid off about 20% or 100 employees. Founded in 2015 by Lizzie Chapman, Priya Sharma and Ashish Anantharaman, it was last valued at $470 million. In September 2021, it raised $50 million, and in June 2022, the start-up raised around $20 million. Earlier this year, founders stepped down and appointed a new management, but the company has been struggling to sustain for many months now.

ASIANOMICS

CHINA

MOODY'S CUTS CREDIT OUTLOOK TO NEGATIVE

Citing risks from a slowing economy and a crisis in its property sector, credit rating agency Moody's on Tuesday cut its outlook for Chinese sovereign bonds to negative. The agency said the downgrade, its first for China since 2017, reflects risks from financing troubles of local and regional governments and state-owned enterprises. The economy had been slowing before a 2020 crackdown on excessive borrowing that led to defaults by dozens of property developers, crimping local government finances and also imperiled some lenders, further dragging on the economy. Moody's said, in a statement, the change in outlook also reflects the increased risks related to structurally and persistently lower medium-term economic growth. The country's finance ministry said it was 'disappointed' with Moody's decision to lower the outlook.

PHILIPPINES

INFLATION EASES TO 20-MONTH LOW IN NOV

The annual inflation of the Philippines grew at its slowest pace in 20 months in November. This will ease pressure on the central bank to keep interest rates higher for longer. The consumer price index jumped 4.1% in the month, the lowest growth since March 2022. Inflation was 4.9% in October. Food inflation was 5.8% in November, slowest annual rise since May 2022, as per the Philippine Statistics Authority. Decreases in vegetable prices offset a rise in rice prices, which rose to 15.8% from 13.2%. Year-to-date average inflation in November was at 6.2%, still far above the central bank's 2%-4% target for the year. Core inflation, which doesn't include volatile food and energy costs, was at 4.7% in November as against 5.3% the previous month. The Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, meeting for the last time this year on December 14, kept rates steady at 6.5%, after an off-cycle 25-basis point increase on October 26 amid worries that inflation could spiral out of control.

JAPAN

NOV SERVICE ACTIVITY GROWS AT SLOWEST PACE

Service activity in Japan increased at the slowest pace in a year in November, weighed down by an accelerating fall in new exports and softer demand. However, the outlook for the sector remained upbeat. The service sector has been a bright spot for the world's third-largest economy, helping offset the drag to growth from struggling manufacturing. According to index publisher S&P Global Intelligence, the final au Jibun Bank Service purchasing managers' index (PMI) fell to 50.8 in November from 51.6 in October. The index was below the flash reading of 51.7 but remained above the 50.0 threshold separating expansion from contraction. New businesses jumped from last month while new export businesses declined for the second straight month. However, the headline figure for this year has trended at the highest annual reading since the survey began in 2007, thanks to a post-pandemic economic recovery, according to the survey.

DEEPFAKES

Govt advisory for social media cos in two days

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE government will issue advisories to social media intermediaries such as Meta and X (formerly known as Twitter) in the next two days to ensure compliance on addressing deepfake issues, Minister of State for Electronics and IT Rajeev Chandrasekhar said on Tuesday.

The government held another round of meeting with social media platforms to review progress made by them in tackling deepfake issue. The minister also said a new amended IT rule is actively under consideration to further ensure platform compliance and the safety and trust of users.

"Hold the second #DigitalIndiaDialogues on Misinformation and Deepfakes with intermediaries today (Tuesday) to review the progress made since the November 24, 2023, meeting. Many platforms are responding to the decisions taken last month, and advisories on ensuring 100% compliance will be issued in the next two days. A new amended IT rule to further ensure compliance of platforms and the safety and trust of digital Nagriks is actively under consideration," he tweeted.

To address the issue of deep fakes in the country, telecom and IT minister Ashwini Vaishnaw had met with social media companies, AI companies, industry body NASSCOM, and professors in November. In the meeting, the minister had proposed introducing new legislation in the next few weeks to tackle the issue. He also mentioned that the government will meet with stakeholders again in December 2023 to assess the actions taken by the companies and decide what should be incorporated into the draft legislation.

Royal Enfield starts pre-owned bike biz

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

NICHE bike maker Royal Enfield (RE) on Tuesday announced the introduction of Reown, a new company-operated, pre-owned motorcycle business.

Through Reown existing and prospective customers can buy or sell, exchange their RE motorcycles and upgrade them with ease. RE is expecting its pre-owned bike business to bring in a new set of consumers, especially those who can't afford a brand-new mid-size bike. Currently, RE model price starts from ₹1.49 Lakh for Hunter 350 and goes up to ₹3.91 Lakh for Super Meteor 650.

"We have the ability to bring together an array of pre-owned RE motorcycles to aspiring riders, ensure thorough checks on the motorcycle for quality and to guarantee and assurance by the brand. We believe this initiative will usher in a new set of customers into Royal Enfield's class-leading motorcycle line-up, and into our world of Pure Motorcycling," said Royal Enfield CEO, B Govindarajan.

Reown program is currently available in Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, Bengaluru and Chennai only. The bikemaker has partnered with HDFC & IDFC to enable finance options for customers. Adroit Auto to enable doorstep motorcycle evaluation, Shriram group to facilitate upgrades from other two-wheeler brands; and with OLX to enable discovery of and accessibility to certified pre-owned Royal Enfield motorcycles.

RE said all pre-owned RE motorcycles listed on Reown undergo 200+ technical and mechanical checks, and are refurbished with genuine parts at authorised service centers. Pre-owned motorcycles are offered with a brand warranty and two free services. Customers selling via Reown are entitled to loyalty benefits worth ₹5,000 of genuine accessories that can be availed on their next Royal Enfield motorcycle purchase.

Festive season: Shoppers lost ₹40K in online scams

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

Nearly 54% of Indian consumers have been victim of an online scam during festive season. Nearly 65% of these victims reported losing money, with the majority of people losing up to ₹40,000, according to a study.

McAfee Corp's results of its inaugural Global Festive Shopping Scams Study on Tuesday, and the study says this year, 44% of Indians planned to do more online shopping as against previous years, and during the festive season, 77% of shoppers saw an uptick in cybercriminal activity and 95% thought use of artificial intelligence would impact the amount and types of scams.

Findings reveal 59% of Indians admitted to making an online purchase in bed late at night, and 37% have shopped during work hours, 28% during dinner, and even 10% while on the toilet.

"With the speed and sophistication of scams rising due to AI, and consumers busier than ever, knowledge is the first line of data protection defence. Cybercriminals are taking advantage of the rush for deals, and the hustle and bustle of life, and using AI to create fake sites, phishing emails, and tricky text messages, hoping you'll take the bait and click on something unsafe," said Roma Majumder, SVP of Product at McAfee.

"With AI now a scammer's favourite tool, our findings revealing that 43% of Indians are likely to jump on a great deal as soon as they see it, you need the most advanced AI in your back pocket to safeguard your privacy, identity, and personal information," Majumder added.

Wipro Consumer acquires 3 soap brands from VVF

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

Neeraj Khatri, chief executive officer (left) and Sachin Bansal, vice-president and Business CFO, Wipro Consumer Care & Lighting-India | ENS

FMCG company Wipro Consumer Care and Lighting, a part of Azim Premji-led Wipro Enterprises, has made its 15th acquisition by acquiring personal wash care brands Jo, Doy and Bacter Shield from Mumbai-based VVF (India).

With this acquisition, it aims to strengthen its personal wash category business, especially to tap sub-popular soap segment. These brands together recorded ₹210 crore revenue in FY23, and the company wants to double the revenue in three years. This is the company's third acquisition within a year.

Neeraj Khatri, CEO of Wipro Consumer Care and Lighting-India and SAARC Business, told this newspaper the second half of the year is looking better than the first half and as an industry, the worst is behind us. As rural demand sees green shoots and the premium soap segment is doing better, the company hopes things would improve going forward.

"As an industry, this fiscal is witnessing a slow growth compared to last fiscal. But we have been doing very well and our effort is to grow ahead of the market," he said, adding the growth is coming by volume.

It crossed ₹10,000 crore sales in FY23, and about 51% of its revenues come from overseas business. "Our acquisitions have grown well. We have been profitable and we continue to explore new opportunities and are confident of acquiring new brands and growing them rapidly," he said. Though he did not reveal the cost of the acquisition, he said the company has invested over $1 billion in acquisition so far. While Jo soap is the key brand with significant play in North, East and West markets, Doy operates in premium segment with differentiated positioning and Bacter Shield has an antibacterial range of soap and handwash.

Khatri said Jo will give them an entry into sub sub-popular soap segment, which is 25% of the Toilet Soap category by volume. He said there is a lot of head room to grow these brands. The company's home-grown brand Santoor is the second-largest brand in India after Lifebuoy, and it is No 3 in the handwash space.

Santoor alone clocked ₹2,650 crore revenues last year and the company grew 17.7% in India last year. "While Chandrika brand has grown six times since we acquired it in 2003, Yardley has grown over 15 times since we acquired it some 12 years ago," said Khatri. According to Market Research firm IMARC Group, the bath soap market size in India reached $3,063.9 million in 2023 and it expects the market to reach $4,994.7 million by 2032. Key players in the market include Hindustan Unilever, ITC and Johnson & Johnson, among others.

GOVERNEMNT OF ODISHA
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER,
LOWER SUKTEL IRRIGATION PROJECT, BALANGIR,
AT- LALTIKRA, DIST:- BALANGIR, PIN-767002.
A-941 email-Id- ccelsp@gmail.com

Government of Odisha "e" PROCUREMENT NOTICE

1	Type of work	CONSTRUCTION OF CEMENT CONCRETE PRECAST INTERLOCKING PAVER BLOCK ROAD AND CEMENT CONCRETE DRAIN FOR MAIN ROAD AND BRANCH ROAD IN RR COLONIES HARDATAL & DHULUSAR.
2	Nos. of works	3(Three) nos. of packages.
3	Class of Contractor	'B' or 'A' Class Contractor
4	BID identification number	11/2023-24 to 13/2023-24 of CCE, LSP, Balangir
5	Cost put to tender	Rs.24315228.00 to Rs.54047204.00
6	Period of completion	10 (Ten) months for each package.
7	Date & Time of availability of bid document in the portal	07.12.2023 at 11.00 AM to 22.12.2023 upto 05:30 PM
8	Last date/time for receipt of bid in the portal	22.12.2023 up to 5.30 PM
9	Date of opening of technical bid	26.12.2023 at 10:30 AM
10	Name& Address of the Officer Inviting Bid	Chief Construction Engineer, Lower Suktel Irrigation Project, Balangir, At- Laltikra,Dist- Balangir, PIN-767002

(i) Further details can be seen from the e-Procurement Portal http://tendersodisha.gov.in.

(ii) Any corrigendum / addendum/ cancellation will be displayed in the Govt. Website only.

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer,
Lower Suktel Project, Balangir.

OIPR-32333/11/0005/2324

BEFORE THE DEBT RECOVERY APPELLATE TRIBUNAL AT CHENNAI
R.A.(S.A.) 43 of 2023
PNB HOUSING FINANCE LTD. ...Appellant
VERSUS
DEVARAJAPPA M ...Respondent

To,
MR. DEVARAJAPPA,
Son of Late Muniyappa No. 1963, 9th Main Road, 2nd Cross, Kumarasawamy Layout, J.P. Nagar, **Bengaluru - 560078**

Please take notice that the above appeal filed by the Appellant herein praying to set aside the order dated 14.07.2021 in S.A.No. 185 of 2021 passed by the Hon'ble Debt Recovery Tribunal-II, Bengaluru at Karnataka came up for hearing before Hon'ble Debt Recovery Appellate Tribunal, Chennai on 28-11-2023 and the Hon'ble Appellate Tribunal was pleased to order notice by way of effecting paper publication on you returnable by 11-12-2023

Therefore, you shall appear before the Hon'ble Debt Recovery Appellate Tribunal, Chennai on 11-12-2023 at 10.30 a.m. in person or through pleader, otherwise the above matter will be decided in your absence.

Yours faithfully,
T. SAI KRISHNAN, Advocates,
No.48/148, Vanguard House,
2nd Floor, Moore Street,
Chennai - 600001

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SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY
E-Tender Notice No. CAO/CN/BNC/95/2023
Dated:29-11-2023

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, Invites E-Tenders for the following work:

Name of work	Approx. Value
Tumakuru-Davanagere New BG Line - Earthwork in formation, blanketing, ballast supply, transportation of P.Way materials, track linking, Type-II quarters 6 units at Tolahunse and miscellaneous works between Ch. 192000 to Ch. 192600 and in Tolahunse yard for New BG Railway line between Tumakuru & Davanagere. **(Tender Ref. No: TK-DVG-02R-2)**	Rs. 3,67,40,723/-

Last date for submission of bids:
Upto 15:00 Hrs. on 21-12-2023

For details log on: www.ireps.gov.in

Deputy Chief Engineer/Construction/Works
Bengaluru Cantonment

PUB/539/AAD/PRB/SWR/2023-24

South Western Railway - SWR | @SWRRLY | SWRRLY

Office of the Chief Engineer & Basin Manager,
Rushikulya Bahuda Vansadhara Nagavali Basin,
A-947 Brahmapur -760004, e-mail: ce_rvn@yahoo.co.in
e-Procurement Notice No. - CE & BM, RBVN - 10 /2023-24

1. Type of Work :- Canal Improvement Work.
2. Total No of Works :- 01(One) No.
3. Amount put to tender :- Rs 1336.53 Lakh
4. Period of completion :- 12 (Twelve) calendar months.

Procurement officer	Bid Identification No.	Bid Amount (Rs. in lakh)	Availability & Submission of Bid On-line
Chief Engineer & Basin Manager, RBVN Basiru Berhampur, Ganjam.	CE & BM, RBVN (HID) - 05 / 2023-24	1336.53	From 11.12.2023, 10.00 A.M. to 26.12.2023, 5.00 P.M.

Date of opening of the Technical Bid 27.12.2023 at 11.30 A.M.
Further detail can be seen from the Govt. website www.tendersodisha.gov.in

Sd/- Chief Engineer & Basin Manager,
RBVN Basin, Berhampur

OIPR- 32072/11/0011/2324

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby notified by this public notice that my clients by names **Jyoti Mittal** and **Ravi Mittal**, Residing at Rf. 702, Purva Riviera Apartment, Varthur Main Road, Munnekolala Near Marathalli Bridge, Bangalore North, Bangalore-37 have lost the original registered sale deed dated.12.05.2006 Vide Document No.BAS-1-03710/2006-07, of Book-1, Stored in C.D. No.BASD241, which was registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, pertaining to property bearing Site No.100, Khatha No.794, measuring East to West (42.5 + 40.5)/2 Feet and North to South (69 + 67.7)/2 Feet totally measuring to an extent of 2828 Sq. Ft, Situated at Halanayakanahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, earlier Bangalore South Taluk present Bangalore East Taluk on 02.12.2023 near their house and lodged a e-lost complaint to this effect on 02.12.2023. Any finder of this original documents may kindly hand over to me or to the address mentioned above.

M. ANANDA, Advocate
Roll No.KAR 1007/95, No.1431, Ground Floor,
D' Souza Building, Begur Main Road,
Near Sub-Registrar's Office, Begur,
Bangalore-560114. Mob.: 9845343337.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-2 BENGALURU
No.4, Second Floor, LIC Jeevan Mangal Building,
Residency Road, Bengaluru-560025.

FORM NO.14, (See Regulation 33(2))
DRC NO: 2343/17

Vijaya Bank,
No.41/2, Trinity Circle Branch,
M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001
Certificate Holder

Versus

Sri M. Muniyappa & Others ...Defendants

DEMAND NOTICE

1. Sri M. Muniyappa, S/o Marappa, No.1/133, NTR Nagar, Mokondappali, Hosur, Dharmapuri District, Tamil Nadu.

2. Sri K. Prakash (Guarantor),
S/o Kari Basappa, No.60/E, S.G. Nilayam, Mokondapalli, Hosur, Dharmapur District, Tamil Nadu.

3. Sri C. Vamana Morrthy (Guarantor)
S/o Chinnappa, No.133, Manjunatha Nilaya, Mokondapalli, Hosur, Dharmapuri District, Tamil Nadu.

In View of the Recovery Certificate issued in **T.A No.1193/2017(OA No.501/2016)** passed by the Presiding Officer, DRT, Bangalore an amount of **Rs.11,79,110/- (Rupees Eleven Lakhs Seventy Nine Thousand One Hundred Ten Only)** is due against you along with interest and costs from the date of filling of O.A. till realization of the Recovery Certificate.

In addition to the sum aforesaid you will be liable to pay all charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and other process that may be taken for recovering the amount due.

You are hereby called upon to deposit the amount within 15 days of the receipt of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made as per rules.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on **22nd day of January 2018**

Sd/-
Recovery Officer-I,
Debts Recovery Tribunal-II, Bangalore

Note: Attention is invited to Rule 16 of the Second Schedule of the Income Tax Act 1961 read with Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act 1993 which is reproduced below:

Rule 16(1) where a notice has been served on a defaulter under Rule 2, the defaulter or his representative in interest shall not be competent to mortgage, charge, lease or otherwise deal with any property belonging to him except with the permission of the Debts Recovery Officer, nor shall any civil court issue any process against such property in execution of a decree for the payment of money.

(2) Where an attachment has been made under this schedule any private transfer or delivery of the property attached or of any Interest therein and any payment to the defaulter of any debt, dividend or other monies contrary to such attachment, shall be void, as against all claims enforceable under the attachment.

3) You are also liable to disclose your assets both movable and immovable to this Tribunal along with the Income tax Returns of last 5 years.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The notice is hereby given to public that our client Smt. Manjula is intending to mortgage the schedule property and avail loan from Priamal Capital Housing Finance.

If any person or persons or financial institution or Bank has any claim over the schedule property or any person or persons claim any right, title or interest, over the schedule property, the same may be lodged with the undersigned within seven days from today, along with relevant documents, failing which it will be presumed that the schedule property is free from any such claim and any claim received thereafter will not bind my client and would not be considered by my client

SCHEDULE :

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.234, E-Khatha No.150200102500400241, in converted Sy No.43/1-B, Situated at Suragajakkana halli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, measuring East to West: 40ft, North to South: 30ft, in all measuring 1200sqft, and bounded on the: East by - Site No.229, West by-30 feet road, North by-Site No.235, South by-Site No.233.

V.L. Associates
Advocates
No.56, Out House, 19th Main Road, 2nd Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560 010.
Ph: 94819 00851/ 9743323668.
Place: Bangalore Date: 05.12.2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that, my client **Mrs. NADHIYA** is intending to purchase the Schedule property from Sri. R.K. Suresh S/o Late. R. Kannan and Smt. N. Ranjini W/o R.K. Suresh, Residing at No.714, 6th Cross, 4th Main, HAL 3rd Stage, New Thippasandra, Bangalore 560075.

Any person, Banks, Financial institutions having any claim, title or interest in the Schedule Property may contact the undersigned with the documentary proof in support of their claim. If no claim is lodged with me within a period of **7 Days** from the date of publication of this notice, it shall be presumed that, Sri, R.K. Suresh and N. Ranjini are having clear and a marketable title to the Schedule Property and my Client will conclude the sale.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the immovable vacant property bearing Site No.71, Khatha No. 1275/724/71, Old Khatha No.219, Property No.62/2, Situated at Hirandahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, Measuring East to West 30 Feet and North to South 40 Feet, in all Measuring 1200 Square Feet, Bounded on:-
East by : 15 Feet Road, West by : Site No. 72, North by : Site No.68, South by : Property belongs to Seethanna's Krishnappa.

NANDESH J.T Advocate
Office : No. 245, 6th Cross, 1st Stage,
Indiranagar, Bangalore 560 038.
Mob: 97386 10774

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RELIANCE COMMERCIAL FINANCE LIMITED

Branch Office: Reliance Home Finance Limited No 39,Ffk Tower,30th Cross,Tilak Nagar,Jayanagar,Bangalore 5600413
Registered Office: - Reliance Home Finance Limited, Ruby Tower,11th Floor,North West Wing,Plot No.29,J.K.Sawant Marg, Dadar,Mumbai-400028

POSSESSION NOTICE - (As per Rule 8(2) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002)

Whereas pursuant to the approved resolution plan of the Reliance Home Finance Limited. (RHFL)by its Lenders in terms of RBI Circular No. RBI/2018-19/ 203, DBR.No. BP. BC. 45/21.04. 048/2018-19 dated 7th June, 2019 on Prudential Framework for Resolution of Stressed Assets, the order of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated March 3, 2023 and the Special Resolution passed by the Shareholders on March 25, 2023, RHFL has entered into the agreement to transfer its Business by way of a slump sale on a going concern basis, to Reliance Commercial Finance Limited (RCFL). And whereas all the rights and liabilities pertaining to the loan account (s) of the Borrower has/have also been transferred to RCFL.

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Reliance Commercial Finance Ltd.** under the Securitization, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued Demand Notices upon the Borrowers/Co-borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower/Co-borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower/Co-borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates.

The Borrower/Co-borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Reliance Commercial Finance Ltd.**

1.NAME OF BORROWER/CO-BORROWER
Legal Heirs Of Late Mr. R Ramesh / Guarantor/Co- Applicant 1) SARASWATHI K
Having Address At:- Flat No 003, Creative Homes Apartment, 27/1 HMT Layout, RT Nagar, Bangalore -560032
2) RAMU M, 3) SAROJA, 4) MASTER. HARSHA S R, 5) MASTER.LAYASARA R,
Having Address At:- TF 1 Third Floor PID No 96-132-19/7, Navaratna Apartments, Najamma Block, Manorayanapalya 1st Crs, Doddamma Layout, Bangalore- 560076.

Date of Demand Notices/Publication	Date of Possession	Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)
12.04.2023	04.12.2023	Rs. 9,78,216/- (Rupees Nine Lakh Seventy Eight Thousand Two Hundred And Sixteen Only) As On 10th April,2023

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY : Schedule 'A' Property:- All The Piece And Parcel Of The Immovable Property Bearing Site No.5 And 5/1, Along With The Passage On The Western Side Situated At Cholanayakanahalli Village,Kasaba Hobli,Bangalore And Presently Bearing Municipal No.19,1st Cross,Doddamma Layout,Having PID No 96-132-19,Ward No.96, Hebbal, Bangalore, Measuring East To West 35 Feet And North To South 72 Feet,Totally Measuring 2520 Sq.Ft.,Excluding Borewell On The South Western Side **Bounded On The.East By -** Site Nos.6 And 7, **West By -** Site No.4, **North By -** Munivenkatappa's Property, **South By -** 25 Feet Road.
Schedule 'B' Property:- An Undivided Share, Right, Tittle And Interest In The Schedule 'A' Property Measuring To An Extent Of 203/2520 Sq.Ft.
Schedule 'B' Property:- Flat Bearing NO TF-1 In The Third Floor,Having Pidno.96-132-19/7,Constructed On The Schedule 'A' Property In Terms Of The Sanction Plan Bearing L.P.No.332/2005-06 Dated 21.06.2005 Sanctioned By The Bangalore Mahanagara Pallke With Super Buitup Area Of 600 Sq.Ft., Together With 203/2520 Share Of Undivided Right Title And Interest In The Schedule 'A' Property Equalant Of 203 Sq.Ft., Named And Known As Navaratna Apartments,Consisting Of Two Bedroom,One Attached Bathroom,Hall,Kitchen,Separate Bathroom And Backyard Open Space With Rcc Roofing,Main Door Teak Wood And Other Doors Of Standard Brand,Granite Flooring Other Branded Electrical Wiring, Parryware/Hindware Or Other Bathroom Fittings, Metal Grill Windows With Glass Shutters,Separate Electricity Meters.

2.NAME OF BORROWER/CO-BORROWER
Legal Heirs Of Late Mr. R Ramesh / Guarantor/Co- Applicant 1) SARASWATHI K
Having Address At:- Flat No 003, Creative Homes Apartment, 27/1 HMT Layout RT Nagar,Bangalore -560032
2) RAMU M, 3) SAROJA, 4) MASTER. HARSHA S R, 5) MASTER.LAYASARA R,
Having Address At:- No 57, New No 30, PID No 99-190-30, 9th B Cross, Manorayanapalya, R T Nagar Post, Bangalore-560032

Date of Demand Notices/Publication	Date of Possession	Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)
12.04.2023	04.12.2023	Rs. 25,47,980/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lakhs Forty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred And Eighty Only) As On 10th April, 2023

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY : All the Piece and Parcel of the House Property Bearing Khaneshumari No 57, Khata No.671,Presently Bearing New Municipal No 30,9th B Cross, Manorayanapalya, Ward No.96 Of Bbmp,Hebbal, Bangalore,Pid No.96-190-30 Built Up In The Area Of 400sq Feet In A Site Along With RCC Roof & Mosaic Flooring Measuring East- West-16feet, North-South- 40 Feet Totally Measuring 640 Sq., Feet And **Bounded As Follows East -** Site No.57 Western Related Property,(New BBMP No.30), **West -** Site No.56, **North -** Site No.52, **South -** Road.

3.NAME OF BORROWER/CO-BORROWER
1) BABU P
Having Address At:- No 356, 2nd Floor, 4th Main,Ward No 18, CQAL Layout, Sahakar Nagar, Bangalore – 560092
2) P SARALA, Having Address At:- Flat No.404, 4th Floor, C BLK,KPR Sunrise Square, Sy No.41/5, Katha No 1022/41/5 Doddakanneli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore.

Date of Demand Notices/Publication	Date of Possession	Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)
02.06.2023	04.12.2023	Rs. 61,56,139/- (Rupees Sixty One Lakh Fifty Six Thousand One Hundred And Thirty Nine Only) As On 19th May,2023

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY; All the piece and Parcel of the Residential Property Situated At Flat No.404 4th Flr C BLK KPR Sunrise Square, Sy No.41/5, Katha No.1022/41/5, Doddakanneli Village, Varthur, Hobli, Bangalore.

4.NAME OF BORROWER/CO-BORROWER
1) MANOJKUMAR AN
Having Address At:- 31st Cross, Vrushabhavathi Nagar, Sannakki Bayalu Kamakshipalya, Bangalore – 560079
2) H JAYALAKSHMAMMA, Having Address At:- Site No.30, 4th Cross Road, Adjacent To, D Group Layout, N.Channappa Badavane, Lingadheeranahalli Village, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore- 560062.

Date of Demand Notices/Publication	Date of Possession	Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)
12.09.2023	04.12.2023	Rs.27,28,465(Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Twenty Eight Thousand Four Hundred And Sixty Five Only) As On 12th September, 2023

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY; All the piece and parcel of the Residential Property Situated At Site No.30, 4th Cross Road, Adjacent To, D Group Layout, N.Channappa Badavane, Lingadheeranahalli Village,Yeshwanthpur,Bangalore- 560062.

5.NAME OF BORROWER/CO-BORROWER
1)) S H RAMESH
Having Address At:- No 8, Gundu Thopu Quarters, Yallama Temple, Tavarekere Main Road, Bangalore -560029
2) SAMATHA R, Having Address At:- Flat # C-608, 6th Flr, C Block Golden Arena Sy Nos. 291/1 320 321 319/2, Bidaraguppe Village, Attibele, Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore -562106

Date of Demand Notices/Publication	Date of Possession	Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)
13.01.2023	04.12.2023	Rs. 10,16,617/- (Rupees Ten Lakh Sixteen Thousand Six Hundred And Seventeen Only) As On 09th January,2023

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY; All the piece and parcel of the Residential Property Situated At Flat # C-608, 6th Floor, C Block, Golde Arena, Sy Nos. 291/1, 320, 321, 319/2 Bidaraguppe Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Karnataka-562106

6.NAME OF BORROWER/CO-BORROWER
1) SUNIL NARAYAN
Having Address At:- No 263, 4th Main, Mahalakshmi Layout, Karnataka-560086
2) SHUBHANGI G NARAYAN, Having Address At:- At Flat No 2, 2nd Floor, Mittal Park View, Municipal No 94-G, Old No 12/6, 9th Cross Road, 1st Stage Raj Mahal, Bangalore- 560094.

Date of Demand Notices/Publication	Date of Possession	Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)
20.03.2023	04.12.2023	Rs. 59,32,977/- (Rupees Fifty Nine Lakh Thirty Two Thousand Nine Hundred And Seventy Seven Only) As On 17/02/2023

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY; All the Piece and Parcel of Flat No 2, 2nd Floor, Mittal Park View Municipal No 94-G, Old No 12/6, 9th Cross Road, 1st Stage Raj Mahal Vilas Extenisn Bangalore.

Dated: 04.12.2023 **Sd/- Authorized Officer**
Place: BANAGLORE **RELIANCE COMMERCIAL FINANCE LTD.**

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -1 BENGALURU
BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru -560001

SALE PROCLAMATION
FORM NO. 22

PROCLAMATION OF SALE UNDER RULE 38 AND 52(2) OF SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE INCOME TAX ACT, 1961 READ WITH THE RECOVERY OF DEBTS DUE TO BANKS AND BANKRUPTCY ACT 1993

RC No.7166/2013 in OA No.164/2011
State Bank of India and MR. VANKA HARI BABU & Others

To: 1. Mr. Vanka Hari Babu @ Hari Babu Vanka, S/o Sri V. Subba Rao, No.445 'D', 6th Cross, 9th Main, H.B.R. Layout, Bangalore-560043. **Also, at:** M/s. Centpercent Cars, No.43, Mosque Road, Frazer Town, Bangalore-560005. **2.Mrs.V.V.Sujatha,** W/o Mr. Hari Babu No.445 D', 6th Cross, 9th Main, H.B.R. Layout, Bangalore-560043. Also, at: M/s. Centpercent Cars, No.43, Mosque Road, Frazer Town, Bangalore-560005. **3.a) M/s. Sri Sai Builders,** Rep by Managing Partner: Mr. P. Bala Gangadhara Reddy No.9, Ground Floor, 6th Cross, Kaggadasapura Extn., C.V.Raman Nagar Post, Bangalore-560093. b) M/s. Sri Sai Builders, Rep by Managing Partner: Mr. P. Rama Rao, No.9, Ground Floor, 6th Cross, Kaggadasapura Extn., C.V.Raman Nagar Post, Bangalore-560093, **4.Mr. Bala Gangadhara Reddy,** S/o Sri P. Venkata Reddy, No.9, G Floor, 6th Cross, Kaggadasapura Extn., C.V.Raman Nagar Post, Bangalore -560093, **5.Mr. P.Rama Rao,** S/o Late Sri Narayana Rao, No.255, D.N.R. Bhavani Nagar, N.G.O's Colony, Hanuma Konda, Warangal District, Andhra Pradesh. **...Defendants**

The under mentioned property will be sold by '**online e-Auction**' through web site **http://drt.auctiontiger.net** on **10.01.2024** for recovery of an amount of **Rs.1,29,92,030/-** (Rupees one crore twenty-nine lakhs ninety-two thousand thirty only) Includes costs and interest thereon as on 30.09.2023 along with further interest till realization of debt as per recovery certificate **RC No. 7166/2013 in OA No. 164/2011.**

Date and Time of Auction	**10.01.2024 Between 11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.**
Reserve Price	**Rs.49,25,000/-** (Rs Forty Nine Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand only)
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**Rs.4,92,500/-** (Rs Four Lakhs Ninety Two Thousand Five Hundred only)
Bid Increment Amount	**Rs.50,000/-** (Rupees Fifty Thousand only)
Date and Time of EMD and Tender Submission	**08.01.2024 by 03:00pm**

SCHEDULE PROPERTY :SCHEDULE A PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the property being converted Sy. No. 92/3. Katha No. 634, situated at Horamavu, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk. totally measuring about 19057.5 s'. ft (converted vide the Order of the Deputy Commissioner dated 18.11.2004, No. BDS.LN.SR(E)159/2004-05) AND bounded as follows East by; Road and remaining portion in the same survey number, West by; Water Channel, North by; Land belonging to K. Raja Reddy and South by; C. Pilla Reddy's Land.

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY: Flat bearing No. G-06 in Ground Floor of the apartment building known as Sri Sai Palace having a super built up area of 1310 s'.ft. containing two bed rooms, along with one car parking space, together with 583.08 sq. ft. undivided share of the land comprised in Schedule A Property.

For Terms and condition of sale visit website:http://drt.auctiontiger.net, M/s. e-Procurement Technologies Limited (abcProcure), Ahmedabad is the Service Provider to arrange e-auction platform. [Contact No.079-40016816/35/79/83/91] Email ID: support@auctiontiger.net].

For further details contact: Chief Manager, Mr. Raviprakash Harakere Vishwanath Shastry, Contact No. : 9535327281, State Bank of India, SAR Branch, JC Road, Bengaluru 560 002 for ascertaining the details of immovable properties and also for inspection of immovable properties, **E-mail: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in**

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 29.11.2023

Sd/-
Recovery Officer-2,
DRT -1, Bengaluru

AXIS BANK

Retail Lending and Payment Group (Local Office/Branch): Axis Bank Limited, Plot No. 41, Seshadri Road, Anand Rao Circle, Bengaluru, Karnataka, 560009.
Axis Bank Ltd., 3rd Floor, Gigaplex, NPC – 1, TTC Industrial Area, Mugalsan Road, Airoli, Navi Mumbai – 400 708.
Registered Office: "Trishul", 3rd Floor Opp. Samartheshwar Temple Law Garden, Ellisbridge Ahmedabad – 380006.

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 Sub Rule (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property is mortgaged/charged to the secured creditor, the **physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Secured Creditor will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is"** on **22th Dec 2023** for recovery of **Rs.5,24,645/-** (Rupees Five Lakh Twenty Four Thousand Six Hundred and Forty Five Only) **in loan account No. PHR000900317602** and **Rs.5,76,511/-** (Rupees Five Lakh Seventy Six Thousand Five Hundred and Eleven Only) for loan account No. **PHR000900317627** dues as on **19.09.2017** with future interest and costs due to the secured creditor from **1). Mr. Rajiv Ranjan Singh,** Flat no 301, 3rd floor, Antlia Enclave, Antlia-1, 1st Block, Anekal Taluk, Sarjapur Road, Bangalore- 562125. **Also At: Mr. Rajiv Ranjan Singh,** No.24 Salaruria Arena, Hosur Main Road, Adugodi, Bangalore-560030. **Also At: Mr. Rajiv Ranjan Singh,** Flat no 601 Sobha Garnet, Outer Ring Road Sarjapura Road Junction, Bellandur Bangalore- 560103. **Also At: Mr. Rajiv Ranjan Singh,** No.21 & 22 Confident Cygnus-II, Mallimakanapura Village Kasaba Hobli, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore- 562114. **(Borrower). 2). Mrs Keya Singh,** B-13/157. Kalyani Naida, West bengal- 741235. **Also At: Mrs. Keya Singh,** Flat No.26 Trinity Meadows, Off Sarjapur Road, Bellandur, Bangalore-560103 **(CO Borrower)** Please refer the appended auction schedule for necessary details: -

KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES (IF ANY)	Not known to the secured creditor. The unpaid charges towards electricity, maintenance, Tax etc. if any, as applicable.
RESERVE PRICE (IN RS.)	**Item No.1: Rs. 23,40,500/- (Rupees Twenty Three lakhs Forty thousand Five hundred Only)** **Item No 2: Rs. 23,30,500/- (Rupees Twenty Three lakhs Thirty thousand Five hundred Only)**
EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (IN RS.)	**Item No.1: Rs.2,34,050/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Thirty Four thousand Fifty Rupees Only)** **Item No.2: Rs.2,33,050/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Thirty Three thousand Fifty Rupees Only) through DD/PO in favor of 'Axis Bank Ltd.' payable at Bangalore.**
BID INCREMENTAL AMOUNT	**Item No. 1: Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand Only)** **Item No 2: RS.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty thousand Only)**
LAST DATE, TIME AND VENUE FOR SUBMISSION OF BIDS / TENDER WITH EMD	**Till 21st Dec 2023 latest by 04:00 P.M. at Axis Bank Ltd, #45, Prestige Libra, 1st Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru-Karnataka-560027, addressed to Mr. Shaik Azuruddin**
DATE, TIME, AND VENUE FOR PUBLIC E-AUCTION	**On 22nd Dec 2023, between 11.00 A.M and 12.00 Noon with unlimited extensions of 5 minutes each at web portal https://www.bankeauctions.com e-auction tender documents containing e-auction bid form, declaration etc., are available in the website of the Service Provider as mentioned above**

DETAILS OF MORTGAGED PROPERTY: SCHEDULE: (Loan account No. PHR000900317627) : ITEM No.1 : All that piece & parcel of the Site No.22 in CONFIDENT CYGNUS II, measuring 1389 Sq.Ft carved out of the Converted land property to an extent of 11 acres 27 guntas in survey Nos.67, 68/1, 68/2, 71 (508563 Sq.ft/47264.22 Sq.mt) situated at Mallimakanapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Hoskate Taluk, Bangalore Rural district and **bounded on: East by :** Road, **West by :** Plot No.23, **North by :** Plot No.21, **South by:** Road.
(Loan account No. PHR000900317602) ITEM No.2 : All that piece & parcel of the Site No.21 in CONFIDENT CYGNUS - II, measuring 1383 Sq.Ft carved out of Converted land property to an extent of 11 acres 27 guntas in survey Nos.67, 68/1, 68/2, 71 (508563 Sq.ft/47264.22 Sq.mt) situated at Mallimakanapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Hoskate Taluk, Bangalore Rural district and **bounded on: East by :** Road, **West by :** Plot No.24, **North by :** Plot No.20, **South by :** Plot No.22.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in the secured creditor's website i.e. **https://www.axisbank.com/auction-retail** and the Bank's approved service provider M/S C1 India Private Limited at their web portal **https://www.bankeauctions.com**

The auction will be conducted online through the Bank's approved service provider **M/s.C1 India Private Limited at their web portal https://www.bankeauctions.com.**

For any other assistance, the intending bidders may contact **Mr. Raghunath at Axis Bank Ltd, # 45 Prestige Libra, 1st Floor, Regional Passport Office, Near: Urvashi Theatre, Lalbagh Road, Lalbagh, Bangalore – 560 027 (Mobile No. 91- 919886960484 Email ID: raghunath1@axisbank.com) during office hours from 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM.**

This Notice should be considered as 15 Days' Notice to the Borrowers/Co-borrowers/Guarantors under Rule 9 Sub Rule (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules, 2002.

Date : 05.12.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
AXIS BANK LTD.,

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA, "e"-PROCUREMENT NOTICE
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER, KHORDHA (R&B) CIRCLE, KHORDHA
WORKS DEPARTMENT
Tender call Notice
E-mail: rbcirclekhurda@gmail.com
Bid Identification No. CCE-Khordha (R&B) Circle-34/2023-24
Memo No - 2644 Dt. 24.11.2023

B-1379: The Chief Construction Engineer, Khordha (R&B) Circle, Khordha on behalf of Governor of Odisha inviting percentage rate bid in double cover system in ONLINE MODE from eligible contractors for Bridge works as detailed in the table below:

1.	Nature of Work	Bridge Works
2.	No of Work	3 Nos
3	Tender Cost	Rs.10000.00 (On-Line)
4.	Class of Contractor	Special, A Class
5.	Available of Bid document in the Website	From 10.00 AM of Dt.06.12.2023 up to 05.00 PM of Dt.21.12.2023 up to 5.00 PM
6.	Date of opening of Bid	Dt 22.12.2023 at 11.30 AM

7. The Bidders have to participate in ONLINE bidding only. Further details can be seen from the Website: https://tenderodisha.gov.in . Any Addendum / Corrigendum / Cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.

OIPR-34127/11/0043/2324

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer
Khordha (R&B) Circle, Khordha

ಕೆನರಾ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)

Trinity Circle Branch : 1, S V Road, BSNL Complex, Halasuru, Bengaluru - 560008. Ph No - 080-25584095, Mob No. 9481888215, E-mail : cb0792@canarabank.com

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Notice issued under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

To,
Borrower : Sri. Muruganandam K S/o Karupa Swamy
No 48, Ground Floor, Attur Post, Veerasagara, Yelahanka,
Bengaluru, Karnataka, 560064.

That you, **Sri Muruganandam K** (hereinafter referred to as "the Borrower"), have availed Credit Facility against which there are outstanding liabilities as mentioned below. We had called upon you to clear the entire liabilities for the loans borrowed from our **Trinity Circle Branch.**

You have committed default in repayment of loans as mentioned below and the loans were classified as Non Performing Assets on **17.11.2023.** The Bank through this notice brings to your attention that you have failed and neglected to repay the said dues/ outstanding liabilities and hence hereby demand you under Section 13(2) of the Act, by issuing this notice to discharge in full the liabilities of the Borrower as stated in hereunder to the Bank **within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice.** The notice under Sec.13(2) of the Act sent to you by Post. Ack. Due on **21.11.2023** has returned undelivered.

Further, it is brought to your notice that you are also liable to pay future interest at the rate together with all costs, charges, expenses and incidental expenses with respect to the proceedings undertaken by the bank in recovering its dues.

Please take note of the fact that if you fail to repay to the Bank the aforesaid sum of **Rs. 44,21,764.85/- (Rupees Forty Four Lakh Twenty One Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Four and Paisa Eighty Five Only)** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs as stated above in terms of this notice under Section 13(2) of the Act, The Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub-section (4)(a) and (b) of Section 13. You are hereby restrained from dealing with any of the secured assets detailed below in terms of Section 13(13).

Your attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Loan No	Nature of Loan	Liability with interest as on date 22-11-2023	Rate of Interest
160000622858	Housing Finance	Rs. 40,42,326.15	11.20%
160000722494	Home Improvement Loan	Rs. 3,79,438.70	11.45%

Details of Security Assets : **Movable : Schedule A Property :** All the piece and Parcel of the residential Site bearing No. 27 Khata no. 973/27/54/1, situated at Attur Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, totally measuring East to West 80 feet and north to south 116+122/2 feet in all measuring 9520 square feet and bounded on the: **East by:** Site no. 26, **West by:** Site no. 30, **North by:** 30 FT Road and **South by:** Private property.
Schedule B Property : 467 square Feet undivided share, right, title and ownership in the land comprised in Schedule A Property
Schedule C Property : The residential Apartment bearing Flat no. No. 1 C, 2 BHK on the ground Floor in the residential Apartment building known as "JAYANTHIS SANTIS", Block- A CRETE with a super build up area measuring 1073 sq ft with PID No. 229/3003/973/27/2/1/1C, constructed on the site no. 27, situated at Attur Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and bounded on **East by:** Site no. 26 private property, **West by:** Flat No. 1D, **North by:** Flat No. 1B and **South by:** Private property.
Name of Title Holder : Mr. Muruganandam K.

Place : Bangalore
Date : 05.12.2023

Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

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Bank of Baroda

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VIJAYA TOWER, 41/2, MG ROAD, BENGALURU - 560001
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SCAN HERE
For detailed terms & conditions

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s), Mortgagor (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is" and "As is what is"** basis for recovery of dues in below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower/s/Mortgagor/Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below

Sr/ Lot No.	NAME & ADDRESS OF BORROWER/S / GUARANTOR/ S/ MORTGAGOR (S)	Short Description of the Immovable Property with known Encumbrances, if any	A. Branch Name B. Account Number C. Total Dues	Date & Time of E-auction	A. Reserve Price B. EMD Amount C. Bid Increase Amount. D. Last Date of Receipt of EMD E. Status of Possession	Property Inspection Date (with Prior Permission from Authorised Officer)
1)	**1. M/S Om Surya Cars Prop of Mr. Shivashankar C j** No 110,7th cross, Peenya, Kaverinagar, Bangalore-560058 **2.Smt.S R Bhagyamma w/o Late sri. C N Jagadesh,** NO 110,5th Cross, Peenya 3rdphase,Kaverinagar,Bangalore-560058. **3.Mr. R.Harish, s/o Sri Rajanna,** No 546,2nd block, Peenya 1st stage,Kuvempu Road, Bangalore-560058.	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing no 110,Katha no 8/2-538/110,situated at ward no 42,5th cross Road,Vidhana soudha layout,Peenya 3rd phase,Laggare village,Bangalore-560058.Measuring east to west 40 ft,,north to south 30 ft,MEASURING 1200 sq ft. situated at 5th cross,Kavery nagara,peenya 3rd phase,Laggare village,Bengalore-560058. encumbrances if any:Nil	A. ROSARB,North Bangalore B. Cust ID: AJ9V25194 C. Rs. 18738080.06 as on 25.11.2023 plus Further interest and other charges.	**12.01.2024 & From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM**	**A. Rs. 12300000.00** **B. EMD: Rs. 1230000.00** **C. Bid Increase amount Rs. 50000.00** **D. 11.01.2024** **E. Physical Possession**	**With Prior Appointment from Authorized Officer**

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer/visit to the website link https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm and https://ibapi.in. Also, prospective bidders may contact the Authorised officer on Tel No. 080-25584066/ 368 Mobile: 9844142456 & 9603504553

Date: 06/12/2023, Place: Bangalore **Name: Authorized Officer, Bank of Baroda**

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that **SMT. NETHRAVATHI.D** W/o.Late Doraishankar & her son D.Guruprasad and daughter D.Leelakeerthi, are the owner of immovable property mentioned in the schedule hereunder and they have lost the original Sale Deed dated 28/3/1998 bearing Document No.8279/1997-98, Book-1, executed by Sri.R.Sathyanarayana Raju & 2 others in favour of Sri.M.Dorai Shankar registered in the office of sub registrar, Yelahanka, pertaining to the schedule property: In case anybody having any claims or in possession of the said document, shall inform the under singed and handover the same within **SEVEN DAYS** from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel Site No.34, Khatha No.327, formed in Sy.No.18/2, situated at Kadiganahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring east to west 40 feet and north to south 30 feet, totally 1200 Sq.ft, comes under limits of Hunasamarahahalli Purasabhe limits and bounded on : **East by :** Road, **West by :** Site No.27, **North by :** Site No.33, **South by :** Site No.35.

N. JAGADEESH KUMAR, Advocate
No.30/1, 2nd Floor, 7th Cross,
Near NR Colony Bus Stand,
Opp. Hotel Dwaraka, Bangalore-560019.
Cell # 9341261700

Rajeshwari, Vivaan win shooting national trials

Paris Olympics quota winner Rajeshwari Kumari on Tuesday won the national selection trial 1 in women's trap, while Vivaan Kapoor triumphed in the men's category on a day when both the finals went into shoot-offs. Rajeshwari had topped the qualification round held at the Karni Singh ranges over three days, with a score of 118.

Since 1992, India have toured the Rainbow Nation eight times playing 23 Tests. However, South Africa is the only SENA country where they have never won a Test series, despite doing well in limited-over formats. A look at the few reasons that amounted to India's not-so-impressive show in the country...

UNCONQUERED TERRITORY

TALLER THE BETTER

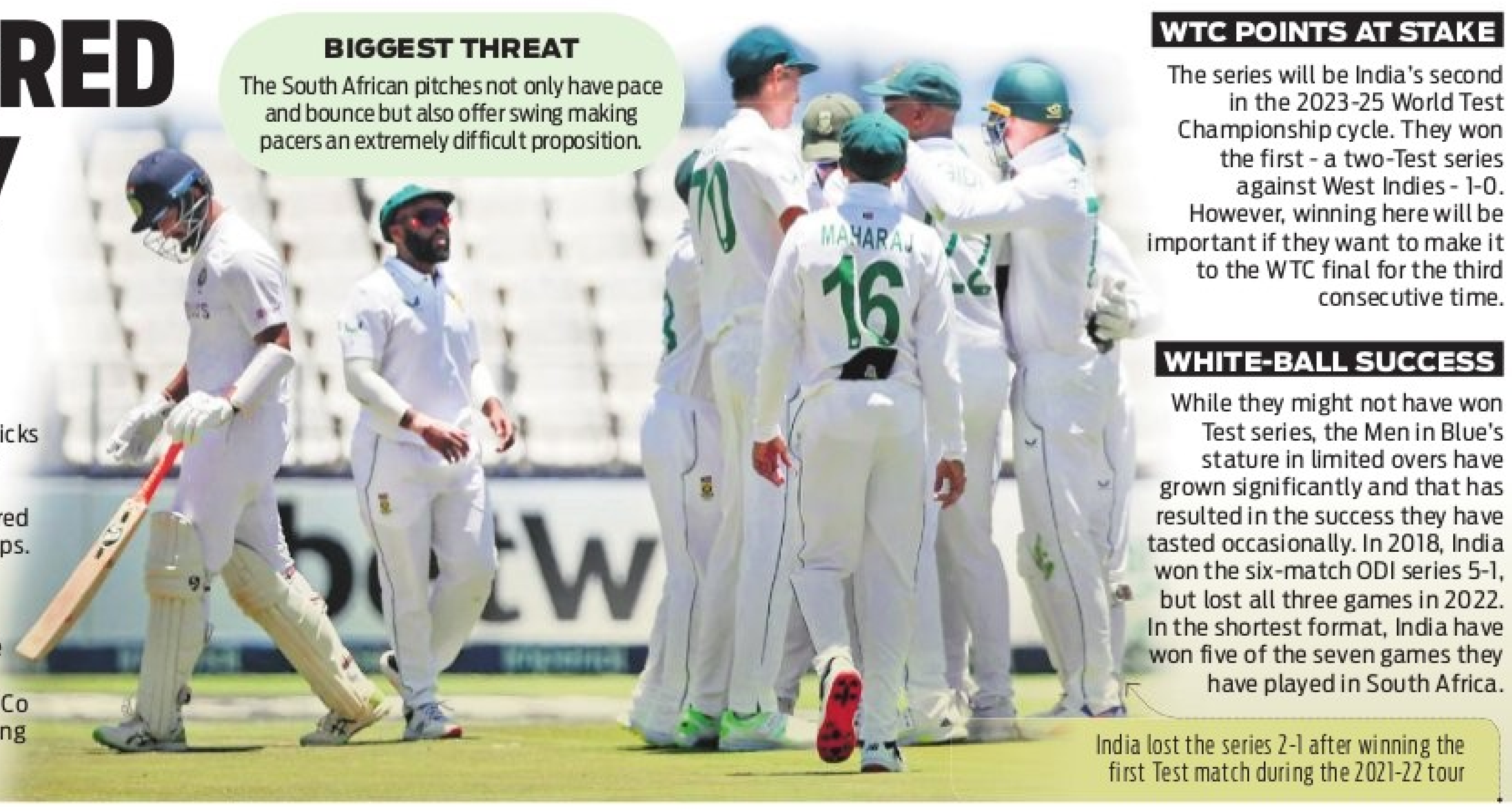
After the second Test in Johannesburg, coach Rahul Dravid asserted that the taller South African fast bowlers took advantage of the bounce and unevenness of the surface better than the Indian seamers. The South African quicks picked 33 wickets from the back of a length or short deliveries in comparison to the Indian pacers' 11. For Indians, the fuller lengths delivered 10 wickets in comparison to the Proteas' 8 scalps.

ADDITION OF PRASIDH

Given the difference the height of pacers made when India last toured the country, Prasidh Krishna's addition may give Rohit Sharma and Co an option to take advantage of the pitches along with Jasprit Bumrah and Mohammed Shami.

BIGGEST THREAT

The South African pitches not only have pace and bounce but also offer swing making pacers an extremely difficult proposition.



India lost the series 2-1 after winning the first Test match during the 2021-22 tour

WTC POINTS AT STAKE

The series will be India's second in the 2023-25 World Test Championship cycle. They won the first - a two-Test series against West Indies - 1-0. However, winning here will be important if they want to make it to the WTC final for the third consecutive time.

WHITE-BALL SUCCESS

While they might not have won Test series, the Men in Blue's stature in limited overs have grown significantly and that has resulted in the success they have tasted occasionally. In 2018, India won the six-match ODI series 5-1, but lost all three games in 2022. In the shortest format, India have won five of the seven games they have played in South Africa.

INDIA'S TEST RECORD IN SA

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1992/93: Lost 4-match series 0-1
1996/97: Lost 3-match series 0-2
2001/02: Lost 2-match series 0-1
2006/07: Lost 3-match series 1-2
2010/11: Drawn 3-match series 1-1
2013/14: Lost 2-match series 0-1
2017/18: Lost 3-match series 1-2
2021/22: Lost 3-match series 1-2

Test squad

Rohit Sharma (C), Shubman Gill, Yashasvi Jaiswal, Virat Kohli, Shreyas Iyer, Ruturaj Gaikwad, Ishan Kishan (wk), KL Rahul (wk), Ravichandran Ashwin, Ravindra Jadeja, Shardul Thakur, Mohd. Siraj, Mukesh Kumar, Mohd. Shami*, Jasprit Bumrah (VC), Prasidh Krishna. *Subject to fitness

ITINERARY (2023/24)

T20Is

1st match: Dec 10 in Durban
2nd match: Dec 12 in Gqeberha
3rd match Dec 14 in Johannesburg

ODIs

1st match: Dec 17 in Johannesburg
2nd match: Dec 19 in Gqeberha
3rd match: Dec 21 in Paarl

TESTS

1st match: starts on Dec 26 in Centurion
2nd match: starts on Jan 3 in Cape Town

VIJAY HAZARE TROPHY

Delhi knocked out, TN qualify for quarters

ENS/AGENCIES @ Ahmedabad

AN out of sorts Delhi, plagued by some questionable team selections, were knocked out of the Vijay Hazare Trophy, losing by 51 runs to Uttarakhand in their final group league stage game here on Tuesday.

With four defeats from seven games, Delhi with 12 points, finished fifth in Group C. Haryana, with 28 points and an all-win record, finished with highest points among all participating states. The six teams to directly qualify for the quarterfinals are Haryana (28 points), Rajasthan (24), Karnataka (24), Vidarbha (20), Mumbai (20) and Tamil Nadu (20). The four teams to qualify for the pre-quarterfinals are Bengal (20), Gujarat (20), Kerala (20) and Maharashtra (20).

Despite bowling out Uttarakhand for 221 in 45.5 overs with pacer Navdeep Saini (3/23) and left-arm spinner Harsh Tyagi (3/30) doing the bulk of the damage, it was yet another shoddy batting show by young Delhi batters as they were bowled out for 170 in 46.2 overs. The selection committee as well as the team management will have some answering to do as to how Kshitiz Sharma, who has an average of less than 30 (29.86) in 22 List A games with just three fifty-plus scores, has been given the opportunity to open. Kshitiz didn't have the skills to tackle Mumbai Indians' last season's find Akash Madhwal, who exposed the batter's lack of skill. So bare is the cupboard that a dogged slow-coach red-ball player like Jonty Sidhu (23 off 56 balls) has been entrusted with the duty of opening the batting. Save for Ayush Badoni (87 off 97 balls) and Himmat Singh, who failed on Tuesday but otherwise has been impressive, none of the Delhi batters have covered themselves in glory.

Meanwhile, Tamil Nadu beat Nagaland by ten wickets after dismissing them for 69. Varun C took five wickets for just nine runs. Karnataka overpowered Mizoram as V Koushik took 4/7, restricting the opponents to 124. Kerala, on the other hand, fell short by 18 runs against Railways despite skipper Sanju Samson scoring 128 runs. **Select results:** Uttarakhand 221 in 45.5 ovs (Avneesh 85, Tare 58, Saini 3/23, Tyagi 3/30) **bt** Delhi 170 in 46.2 overs (Badoni 87, Madhwal 2/37); Odisha 199/9 in 50 ovs (Biswal 64, Avasthi 3/30) **bt** Mumbai 113 in 32.2 overs (Royston 24, Debabrata 2/20, Rajesh 2/21); Nagaland 69 in 19.4 ovs (Varun 5/9) **lost to** Tamil Nadu 73/0 in 7.5 ovs; Mizoram 124 in 37.2 ovs (Koushik 4/7) **lost to** Karnataka 126/4 in 17.1 ovs (Mayank 48 n.o); Meghalaya 158 in 41.1 ovs lost to Hyderabad 161/1 in 18.4 ovs (Tanmay 49); Railways 255/5 in 50 ovs (Sahab Yuvraj Singh 121) **bt** Kerala 237/8 in 50 ovs (Samson 128).

Fresh chapter for Women in Blue under Muzumdar

KALYANI MANGALE @ Chennai

Head coaches since August 2018	
Aug 2018 - Nov 2018	Ramesh Powar
Dec 2018 - May 2021	WV Raman
May 2021 - Dec 2023	Ramesh Powar
Dec 2023 - Mar 2023	Hrishikesh Kanitkar (interim head coach)
Bangladesh tour in July 2023	Nooshin Al Khadeer (interim head coach)
Asian Games in Sep 2023	Hrishikesh Kanitkar (interim head coach)
Oct 2023 - present	Amol Muzumdar

THE last time India women had a full-time coach was in October 2022 when Ramesh Powar was in charge of the team. Jhulan Goswami had just played her final ODI at Lord's. The first season of the Women's Premier League was still months away. And India was yet to win the inaugural U19 T20 World Cup.

Since then, India have played the home T20I series against Australia, the T20 World Cup in South Africa, the away series against Bangladesh, and the Asian Games in Hangzhou without a full-time head coach. That's a significant time and amount of series with interim coaches — Hrishikesh Kanitkar and Nooshin Al Khadeer shared the coaching responsibilities. So after one year, when Amol Muzumdar was announced as the head coach of the team, many breathed a sigh of relief. Under two interim coaches, India's performance was a mixed bag. They challenged Australia in the home series but saw the Alyssa Healy-led side take the series 4-1. The same opposition was a thorn in their flesh at the T20 World Cup in South Africa. The series against Bangladesh showcased a bigger challenge than anticipated, while the Asian Games gold medal was the expected result for the team. It is important to highlight what the team has achieved even in the absence of the permanent head coach.

With Muzumdar taking over the responsibilities, the expectations are high. More so because of the two marquee events coming up in the next two years. The 2024 T20 World Cup in Bangladesh and the home ODI World Cup in 2025 will be on every team's agenda starting from now. The former Mumbai coach is taking over the responsibilities some nine months away from the T20 WC, which would certainly give him enough time and space to make this team his own. And it will all start with the series against England and defending champions Australia.

"We had a chat about it with the team, and they (players) are all raring to go," Muzumdar said while addressing the media in Mumbai ahead of the packed month of international cricket. "Every step that we take is about moving towards the World Cup. England and Australia will be a superb series to start the preparations (for the World Cup). (Both) will be a tough series (and) will give us an indication of where we are. Going forward the tougher the opposition, the better it is. There will be a lot of camps after this series. A lot of cricket will be played at NCA or some other place. That means more exposure. All the fringe and new players will also get an opportunity," the head coach explained his strategy going ahead. While Troy Cooley has been named the bowling coach for the series against England and Australia, Muzumdar would need his own full-time support staff going forward. Even as the head coach insisted on his approach of fearless brand of cricket, the role clarity for each player is going to be one of the biggest challenges he will face. And in the absence of full-time support staff at his disposal, that could take even more time than India have.

On the eve of the three-match T20I series, Muzumdar also highlighted the importance of two Fs that the team has faced a lot of scrutiny - fielding and fitness. "Fielding and fitness are of the highest priority. There is no compromise on that," he mentioned in his first media interaction since taking over the job. Every head coach before him had to deal with some degree of pressure because of fielding and fitness, and Muzumdar's willingness to take it head-on is commendable, but he will have his work cut out for him.

Can India start well against England?

In what is Muzumdar's first assignment with the team, India women will take on England in a three-match T20I series from Wednesday. A look...

INDIA VS ENGLAND, 1ST T20I
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MORE SPIN OR PACE?

Since the 2022 ODI World Cup, Kaur has relied significantly on spinners, including bowling Shafali Verma and even Jemimah Rodrigues. With the likes of Titas Sadhu coming in, it will be interesting to see whether the coach and captain decide to build a pool of pacers or stick to the spinners who have given them success.

RETURNING RENUKA IN FOCUS

Coming back from a long injury lay-off, this will be Renuka Singh Thakur's first international assignment since the 2023 T20 World Cup. She took six wickets in four games in the inter-zonals, but the real test lies against the England team which has some attacking players up front. How she fares in the three games might go a long way in whether or not she plays the Test match.

WHAT LIES AHEAD?

A new full-time head coach after a year and a new chapter begins here with the focus on another T20 World Cup next year. While there are two Tests to be played, how Muzumdar and captain Harmanpreet Kaur put together to form a prominent T20I side, with some youngsters coming in, will be the key talking point.

EXPRESS READ

Sprinter who ran solo in Delhi athletics meet fails dope test

NEW DELHI: Sprinter Lalit Kumar, who ran solo in the 100m final at the Delhi Athletics C'ships after 7 others pulled out on hearing the presence of NADA officials, has failed a dope test. It is learnt that Kumar's urine sample collected after the race on Sep 26 has returned positive for a banned steroid.

200 young paddlers stranded in Vijayawada due to cyclone

KOLKATA: Securing her maiden U-11 National Ranking title in Vijayawada brought joy and pain in equal measure for paddler Sreosree Chakraborty, who is stuck because of Cyclone Michaung. A TTFI official said that about 200 players in the age group of U-11 to U-19 stuck along with their family members.

Ashwini-Tanisha climb four spots to World No 28

NEW DELHI: Indian women's doubles pair, Ashwini Ponnappa and Tanisha Crasto, jumped four places to reach world number 28 in the latest BWF rankings. All other Indian singles players stayed static with HS Prannoy (8) remaining the top ranked shuttler from the country.

Jr hockey players looking to rise at world stage

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KOBE Bryant. Lionel Messi. Ben Stokes. And, of course, Harmanpreet Singh. These are just some of the sporting superstars members of India's junior hockey team look up to. The 18-member team, who beat South Korea 4-2 in the first match at Kuala Lumpur on Tuesday, do have the capacity to go a long way.

Most of them have already won medals at other age-group events including the junior Asia Cup (2023) and last year's Sultan of Johor Cup. A few of the players also have the experience of playing for the seniors while the likes of Uttam Singh have already represented the country in the 2021 junior World Cup.

Before the start of the World Cup, Uttam, skipper, had said: "... wait is finally over for the World Cup, and we are very much confident of a good start. We recently played against Korea, so we are aware of the challenge, but the focus will be on us, on executing our plans, and playing good hockey."

On Tuesday, Araijeet Singh Hundal, the forward who was part of the team during the 2021 event, dazzled with a hat-trick. He does have pace to burn and is an instinctive finisher. It's also not a surprise to see why Hockey India rates the Amritsar boy highly. Amandeep scored the other goal. India disappointed at the home World Cup in 2021 with a fourth-place finish. They are determined to at least be on the podium this time around. But they want to take it on a match by match basis. "As always, our focus has been to go match-by-match, and our priority is to get a winning start and then focus on the following matches to proceed to the next stage of the tournament," Uttam said.

While Uttam's struggles have been well-documented, other members, too, have gone through similar hardships. For example, take the case of defender Amir Ali. His father, a bike mechanic, had to take a loan from an acquaintance to keep his son's dream alive.

What, though, can't be doubted is their single-minded quest to excel in this sport. Custodian Mohith HS, whose way of drawing inspiration is in watching Ben Stokes' match-winning Test knocks, skipped conventional education. "He skipped conventional education and college to devote more time to his practice," is how the Hockey India Media Kit describes his work ethic. "His hard work and dedication paid off when he played a crucial role in India's victory at the Junior Asia Cup."

Take Vishnukant Singh, somebody who has won the senior jersey seven times. He looks up to Harmanpreet and has already had to jump past obstacles. "Representing India was once an unimaginable dream, and now it's my reality," he had said after making the World Cup squad. "The team is in a very good place, and we are looking forward to the challenge ahead of us."

It's something that has been notable with this team. They are not too keen to get ahead of themselves. "The players have worked hard, and are fully prepared for the tournament," coach CR Kumar had said. "We have to respect every opponent, it is a bigger stage, so we will have to be cautious and back our strengths to get a good start in the tournament."

While the 4-2 win over South Korea will put them in good stead, they have far bigger tests. In their own group, Spain lie in wait. Canada are the fourth team. They may run into one of Belgium or Netherlands in the quarterfinals depending on where they finish in Group C. If all goes well, this Class of 2023 can match the ones from 2016.

Fixtures

Dec 7: Spain
Dec 9: Canada

Familiar boxers in the running for 2024 Paris Olympic qualifiers

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Boxer Amit Panghal was one of the gold medallists during nationals | BFI

THE recently-held men's national boxing championships was a rare opportunity for lower-ranked boxers to stake a claim for the No 1 spot ahead of the vital Olympic qualifiers next year. Instead, it was the usual suspects who stamped their authority during the event. Amit Panghal (51kg), Shiva Thapa (63.5kg), Sachin (57kg) put up some slick performances to be among gold winners during the premier domestic competition in Shillong. More importantly, they now have a fair chance of representing the country during the World Qualification Tournament 1 (Olympic qualifiers which will be held from February 29 to March 12) in Italy.

The top-four finishers, as reported earlier, will be part of the camp. According to national boxing chief coach CA Kuttappa, there were no major surprises. There are a couple of boxers, who finished outside the top-four, who are likely to be included in the camp, which is scheduled to start from December 17th. "We are taking the four medallists from each weight category (gold, silver and two bronze medallists) in the camp. After the assessment period, we'll prune it down to three each," Kuttappa, who acted as one of the observers during the nationals, told this daily. The camp for the Olympic weight categories — 51 kg, 57 kg, 63.5kg, 71 kg, 80 kg, 92 kg, +92 kg — will be in Patiala while the camp for the non-Olympic weight categories is scheduled to be conducted in Rohtak. After a subdued show during the Asian Games, the nationals was a chance for boxers including senior pros like Shiva and Sachin to course correct. Kuttappa had hoped that more youngsters would step up but that's not how things unfolded.

"In some of the weight categories, there was a huge gap in quality. We didn't see good boxers. Most of them didn't participate for some reason or other," he noted. Abhinash Jamwal, who suffered a narrow defeat against eventual winner Shiva in the opening round, caught the eyes of the observers and he could be included in the camp. Now, the focus turns to camp. Some of the seniors like Sachin and Amit left no doubts in the minds of the selectors during the nationals but their task is far from over. They will need to sustain their performance during the assessment camp which could begin from early next year. Kuttappa is hopeful the selected bunch can rise to another level then.

"Sachin, Amit (Panghal) had a cruise. They notched up dominant wins. It was all one-sided. This is a big opportunity. We'll see how they fare during the assessment period, which could begin from January 8." It should be noted that no men boxers from the country have secured Olympic quotas so far. The next month or so could be life-changing for the pugilists, who'll be part of the camp. A productive camp could potentially propel them to secure tickets to the 2024 Paris Olympics.

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AYUSH Policy 2023

Eligible Projects

- Drive investments and private sector participation across the 5 segments of the AYUSH ecosystem – 1) cultivation of medicinal plants, 2) AYUSH manufacturing (medicines and consumer products), 3) healthcare, 4) wellness and 5) education & research
- Creation of distinctive brands around the key endowments for AYUSH in the State
- Promote adherence to established national and international standards across the ecosystem to improve the quality of products and services

Type of project

Activities eligible for incentives across the different segments of AYUSH ecosystem:

- AYUSH manufacturing units
- NABH accreditation of AYUSH Hospitals in the State in the next 5 years
- Investment in AYUSH wellness in category B and category C regions as defined in Tourism Policy, 2023 of the Government of Uttarakhand
- NAAC Accreditation of AYUSH colleges which get NAAC grading between A++ and B++

INCENTIVES

Capital Subsidy

•Up to 10% extra capital subsidy for all AYUSH manufacturing units as per MSME Policy 2023
•An additional top-up of 5% capital subsidy for wellness centers, hotels and resorts

Fees for NABH Accreditation

•Reimbursement of fees required for an AYUSH hospital or healthcare clinic to be NABH accredited provided that the same is achieved in the next 5 years

One-time incentive for NAAC Accreditation

Upto - INR 15 Lakh

Institutional Support

- The State AYUSH Department will act as a nodal agency for institutional support
- Collaboration with other relevant State departments (Industries, Tourism, Health, Agriculture, Horticulture, Higher Education, etc.)

TOURISM Policy 2023

Eligible Projects

Under the policy, assistance is provided to hospitality projects and tourism products & services including:

Type of project

Hospitality Projects

•Expansion of existing Hotels/Resorts etc. (min. expansion/addition of 15 rooms per Hotel/Resort unit) • Floatels / Floating resorts • Heritage Hotels / Entities • Hotels, Motels • Other accommodation projects.

INCENTIVES FOR INVESTORS

The policy supports and incentivizes both existing and planned tourism projects.

Capital Subsidy for Hospitality Projects

REGION CATEGORY	MAXIMUM CAPITAL SUBSIDY
Projects in Category A regions	25% of Eligible Capital Assets
Projects in Category B regions	35% of Eligible Capital Assets
Projects in Category C regions	50% of Eligible Capital Assets

Tourism Products & Services

•Operation of helium and hot air balloon, blimps • Taxi operation (Electric vehicle taxis only) • Helicopter / Waterplane services – For Tourism Purposes • Caravan, Motor Houses, Cruise boats, Yachts, house boats • Adventure activities • Other amusement & recreation activities

INCENTIVES FOR FOREIGN TOURISTS'

Eligible Tourism Units receiving foreign customers/ providing services to foreign customers can avail incentive of 1% of Eligible Turnover generated from foreign customers. Such units would need to submit necessary proofs for the nationality of the customers.

INCENTIVES

Capital Subsidy

Hospitality Projects*	Tourism Products & Services*
Upto 50% on eligible capital assets	Upto 50% on eligible capital assets

SOLAR Policy 2023

Eligible Projects

Two types of Projects:

Utility Scale	Distributed
• Residential • Commercial and Industrial	• Institutional • Agriculture

All projects who have signed the Power Purchase Agreement can benefit from following incentives for 25 years.

INCENTIVES

Capital Subsidy

Category	Capacity	Quantum of Subsidy (INR/kW)
Rooftop Solar	0-1 1-3	23000 17000
Community Solar	5-500	8000
Solar Villages	50-200	15000
Behind the meter	<1 kw	23000 (without Energy Storage) 28000 (with Energy Storage)

Further the following incentives may be availed:

- 50% SGST reimbursement for 5 years
- No transmission and Wheeling charges or losses
- Cross-subsidy and additional surcharge exemption.

Incentives for Solar Production for Livelihood include:

- 50% stamp duty exemption/reimbursement
- 50% Net SGST reimbursement
- 100% reimbursement on custom duty for input devices
- Low-cost finance provided under self-employment schemes

Solar Production for Commercial and Industrial Use may avail the following incentives:

I) Intra-State Open Access

- Exemption from transmission and wheeling charges
- Exemption from cross-subsidy surcharge and additional surcharge

II) Industrial Consumers

- Interest Subsidy upto 10% (max. 8 Lakhs)
- Capital Subsidy of 40% of capital cost (max. 40 lakhs)

III) 50% SGST Reimbursement for a period of 5 years

IV) Interest Subsidies applicable under Heavy Industrial and Employment Promotion Scheme 2018.

Solar Production for Governmentcan avail the following incentives:

- There shall be no cross-subsidy surcharge, additional surcharge, transmission, and distribution Losses
- Benefits such as banking facilities and payment of surplus energy by Discoms
- 50% SGST reimbursement for a period of 5 years.

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Scientific revelation

On this day in 2006, NASA's Mars Global Surveyor revealed a few photographs of Mars which proved the presence of water on it

ABOUT THE SPACECRAFT

Launched on November 7, 1996, Mars Global Surveyor became the first successful mission to the red planet in two decades. It began its prime mapping mission in March 1999

THE MISSION

The mission has studied the entire Martian surface and interior. The spacecraft observed that the red planet has very repeatable weather patterns

RESEARCH

By studying Mars for several Martian years, Mars Global Surveyor has has observed gully formation, new boulder tracks, impact craters

CE's guide to happenings in the city

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A still from *Anime Supremacy!*

The big picture

The sixth edition of the Japanese Film Festival is back to celebrate Japan's cinematic universe, and also includes some popular anime films

POOJA DAS

It goes without saying that anime is very popular in India, but we hope that through this film festival, people will also discover the appeal of the latest Japanese feature films

Koji Sato, director general, The Japan Foundation

FANS of Japanese anime, movies, drama and everything in between can unite once again as the sixth edition of the Japanese Film Festival (JFF) is back in the city to give you the best of Japanese anime and live-action films on the big screen. Organised by the Japan Foundation, the festival will be showing some of the best and most popular films from Japan at INOX, Mantri Square Mall, Malleswaram from December 7 to 10.

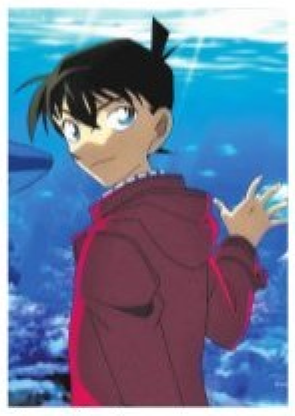
"We are glad that the JFF, which began in 2017, is now in its sixth edition and has become an annual event for the people of India. It goes without saying that anime is very popular in India, but we hope that through this film festival, people will also discover the appeal of the latest Japanese feature films," says Koji Sato, director general of the The Japan Foundation, New Delhi.

This year's edition will be a proper film festival after the pandemic as the last year focused only on anime and music. The foundation has also expanded to Hyderabad and Pune for the first time, alongside Bengaluru, Delhi, Kolkata and Chennai. Talking about the reason behind including live-action films, Sato says, "Anime has a great following in India, which has really boomed post the pandemic. So this year we thought of increasing more live-action films, we wanted comedy, romance as well as thrillers. For the anime, we went with two of the most renowned franchises that are available in Japan, *Detective Conan (*now called *Case Closed)* and *Lupin the Third*, which have been really popular in Japan for decades now."

Another highlight of the festival is *Anime Supremacy!*, an intersection between anime as well as live-action, which shows the process behind how anime is made. "It feels like a documentary but it's more of a blockbuster film where two parties are simultaneously competing," explains Sato. Talking about the response of the city, Sato says, "Last year the response was incredible since it was specifically focusing on anime. We had multiple housefull shows and people were asking for more shows for certain films like Makoto Shinkai's *Your Name*. This time also we are seeing the same trend, and famous ones like *Monster* and *We Made a Beautiful Bouquet* were already sold out in days. The best part is, surprisingly, we didn't expect certain movies like *Father of the Milky Way Railroad* to do well. But they are doing exceptionally well."

Father of the Milky Way Railroad

We Made A Beautiful Bouquet



Detective Conan

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RAW & REAL

In B'luru recently, designer **Sanjay Garg** opens up about drifting away from his usual style in his latest collection, which he showcased after an eight-year hiatus

A model walks the ramp in the Children of the Night collection

MONIKA MONALISA

POPULAR designer Sanjay Garg doesn't follow a calendar for the fashion year. Instead, he does a show only if he has something new to display or he wishes to be part of a show. This explains his eight-year hiatus from the scene only coming to the fore recently at the Lakme Fashion Week where he showcased his new collection, Children of the Night. In Bengaluru recently, Garg, the creative head of the label Raw Mango, says the idea of the collection, which drifts away from his usual style of having an Indian touch, questions pattern making. "Here, all the patterns were done by a welder or an iron smith. But it's made by handloom fabrics which is absolutely wearable," he says about the geometrically-shaped collection which takes inspiration from his love for sculptures.

Garg was probably one of the pioneers to have started storytelling in the fashion industry and assures that there is one lore in this too. "Children of the Night came from a disco. I like many genres of music but disco is something I have liked consistently. I remember disco being such a revolution that happened in the US. It travelled all over and came to India and Africa. They broke many barriers, including dating, LGBT rights, nudism, etc. It happened exactly during the hippie movement," he says, further adding, "The collection came from a question: what if the disco movement happens today? And what if textiles were very much inspired by disco." Though the collection draws inspiration from the past, he affirms that all the silhouettes are very futuristic. "I call it retro-futuristic."

One of the go-to brands for a lot of celebrities, Garg is clear not to have looked for star validation. It was quite evident when the show had no celebrity showstoppers. A move that was lauded. "I don't think that if celebrities wear my garments, only then will it sell. However, I respect them as artistes. My only condition for the show was that they wouldn't be opening or closing the show. They would be between the show and under my vision," says Garg.

Along with much applause, there were also brickbats that Garg got for the show. Especially for the styling of Karisma Kapoor. "Some people have questions that. I should have shut the button on the front. It was my decision not to do that. I take it as feedback and appreciate it," says Garg.

With all the experimental designs in place, Garg confesses that his love affair with mulmul will never end and his next collection will be with it which will be right in time for the summer of 2024.

Kalki Koechlin and Karisma Kapoor

CITY READ

Annual music festival returns to city

The Indian Music Experience Museum, JP Nagar, an interactive music museum, will host their annual music festival Many Musics, One City till December 10. The festival will showcase programmes featuring performances of Carnatic and Hindustani music, alongside contemporary genres such as pop, rock, and electronic music. The lineup of artistes includes Praveen Alva, Ditty, Veecheet Dhakal, Lathangi Sisters, Vasu Dixit and more. A guided museum tour dedicated to Bengaluru's music culture from the 1950s, lectures on the histories of music in Bengaluru and performances by contemporary Bengaluru musicians will also be featured. This festival is also part of the Unboxing BLR Habba, a city-wide multi-arts festival taking place across Bengaluru until December 11.

Anglo-Indian food festival till December 10

JW Kitchen at JW Marriott Hotel Bengaluru, Vittal Mallya Road, is hosting an Anglo-Indian food festival till December 10. The menu is curated by chef Karen Martin, and features three menus consisting of salads, appetisers, mains, staples and desserts. Devilled ducks egg and potato salad, ding ding beef salad, crumbed stuffed brinjal chops and more will feature on the menu. The dinner will include main dishes like fried seer fish coconut curry, paneer jalfrezi, mixed mince meatball curry, and more. Desserts such as black rice pudding, layered fruit trifle, dark chocolate cherry trifle, etc. For details, contact 8884494037.

MUSIC BEYOND BORDERS

With the rising popularity of Punjabi music, indie singer Sangeetha Rajeev hops on to the trend with her first Punjabi song from the album, Rise

MONIKA MONALISA

IT was a bit of a pleasant surprise for fans of indie singer Sangeetha Rajeev when she dropped her Punjabi pop song Rise, which is already a chart-topper. However, the singer feels she has been manifesting it for a while. "I've always been listening to Punjabi songs. So that's always been a big influence. I wanted to unite both the South and North. A South Indian singer singing in Punjabi is something that not many people would have tried. So I wanted to do that," says Rajeev, mentioning that she will be releasing more songs from the album soon.

Breaking all the general assumptions, Rajeev mentions she didn't find the pronunciation difficult. "I was brought up in Mumbai. So, Hindi and Marathi were languages that I learned in school. I had friends there who belonged to North India. I took some help from another friend, who is Punjabi, to understand if my pronunciation was right or not," says Rajeev.

A Punjabi music lover, Rajeev as an artiste and listener, has been looking forward to creating something in Punjabi. "I've been listening to Punjabi music since my childhood and its music industry is one of the thriving industries in the country. I am a die-hard fan of Daler Mehndi, even though I have sung so many of his songs in my concerts. I have loved artistes like Diljit Dosanjh and Sidhu Moose Wala," says Rajeev.

Rajeev's songs have a visible tilt towards folk and she does not want to limit herself to just South Indian music. And she is quite glad that her fans are loving her experiments with music. "I didn't expect that I would get this kind of reaction. I have always been singing Kannada songs and my listeners are used to my doing that. Now, when I sing a Punjabi song, since there are a lot of Punjabi listeners here also in Bengaluru, I have been getting positive responses," says Rajeev, who is soon going to make her Sandalwood debut in a suspense thriller, titled *Nimitta Matra*.

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BEPUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**

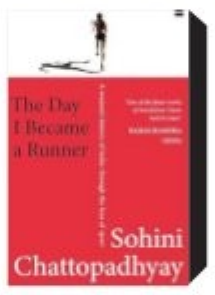
Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE*.

❶ Kadalekai Parishe, the annual groundnut fair is the oldest folk festival in the city held during the Karthika masa (month in Hindu calendar) in Basavanagudi. The legend on the origin of the festival is attached to the historic Bull temple in Basavanagudi and it has been a ritual for the groundnut farmers to offer their first harvest to Basava (Bull), the main deity of the temple. For the last few years, Kadalekai Parishe is also organised and celebrated alongside in another oldest extension in the city. Name the extension.

❷ If Dasara is to Mysuru, Karaga is to Bengaluru. 'Bengaluru Karaga', the nine-day-long festival held during Chaitra, the first month in the Hindu calendar celebrated by Vahnikula Kshatriyas also called as Thigalas, a horticulturists' community culminates with a high energy night-long procession in the Pete (old city) area. The surviving small remnant of a huge lake erected by Kempegowda in the 16th century is worshiped as part of the ritual of the festival. Name the historic lake (today transformed into a stadium) which was once a primary water source for the city.

❸ Hoovina Pallakki (palanquin of flowers), a well-known annual car festival held during the month of April/May celebrated in the neighbourhood of Halsuru (Ulsoor) attracts huge crowds from in and around Bengaluru. The temple was extensively renovated and embellished by Hiriya Kempegowda during 16th century. Which historic temple in Ulsoor dating back to the Chola period is associated with this festival?

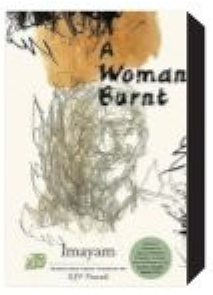
BOOK NOOK



The Day I Became a Runner

By Sohini Chattopadhyay

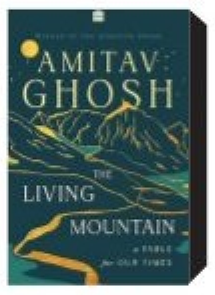
A meticulously curated book about stories of eight women athletes from PT Usha to Mary D'Souza, challenging patriarchy and making history.



A Woman Burnt

By Imayam, translated by GJV Prasad

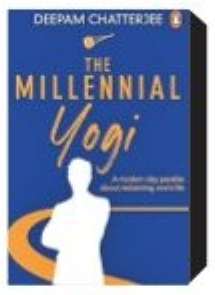
The experience of caste, class and misogyny are explored in prose, through the lens of an engineer Revathy and her spouse Ravi, an auto driver.



The Living Mountain

By Amitav Ghosh

A story about the Mahaparbat, indigenous valley dwellers and about humans who attack the mountain for commercial gain while refraining from understanding the relation between humans and nature.



The Millennial Yogi

By Deepam Chatterjee

The book explores the struggles of loss and redemption through two contrasting characters Jay and Vini in an increasingly materialistic world.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

DJ NIGHT

Get ready to enjoy a night of music and melody as you savour acoustic Bollywood-Sufi music from city-based band, Mehram.

WHEN: Dec 6, 7pm
WHERE: Toca, Koramangala
DETAILS: highape.com

LIQUID ART

Attend this fluid art workshop to get hands-on experience in learning the techniques of fluid painting, a form of abstract art that uses flowing liquid paint to create stunning, organic patterns.

WHEN: Dec 6, 1pm
WHERE: Small World ST Bed, Koramangala
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Laughter Riot

Watch standup comedy aspirants and seasoned comedians try out their fresh material at the weekly Kannada standup comedy open mic *Mic Testing* organised by Ganesh Kashyap and Nithin M Kamath.

WHEN: Dec 6, 6pm
WHERE: The Art Gully Studios, Koramangala
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Film Screening

Experience emotions of two mothers grappling with their beliefs of love and religion as you watch Kimberly and Sara make a brave transition in the film *Mama Bears: Love's Victory over Hatred.*

WHEN: Dec 6, 6.30pm
WHERE: Bangalore International Centre, Domlur
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Sangria Brunch

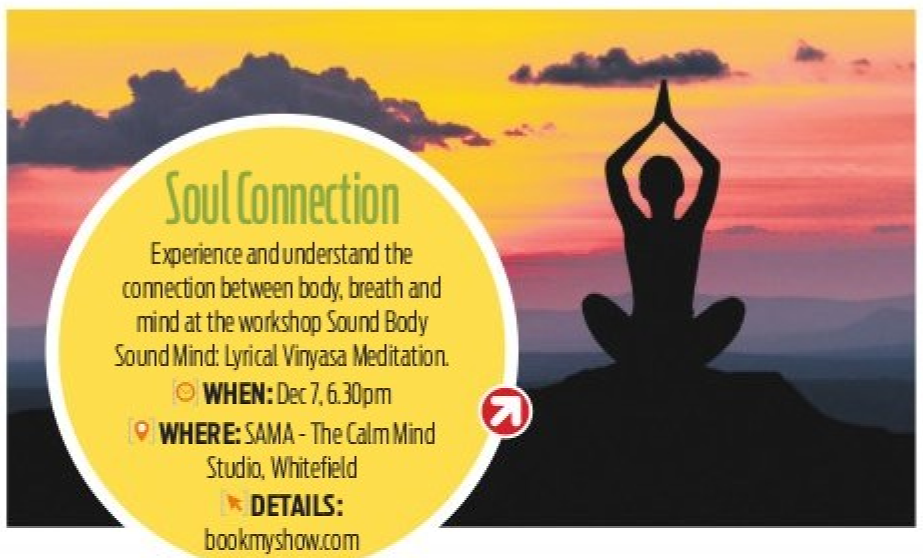
Indulge in a special Sangria brunch, curated with a handpicked selection of fruity Sangrias that is ideal for pairing with your brunch with dishes like Ambur mutton biriyani, fish in Singapore sauce and much more.

WHEN: Dec 10, 12.30pm
WHERE: Limelight, Hotel Royal Orchid, Domlur
DETAILS: 99029 54007

Drama Time

Be a part of a laughter journey with the play *Blackout,* which is a comical take on the otherwise mundane lives of '80s households, portraying facets like romance, swindling, flirtatious sarcasm, and more.

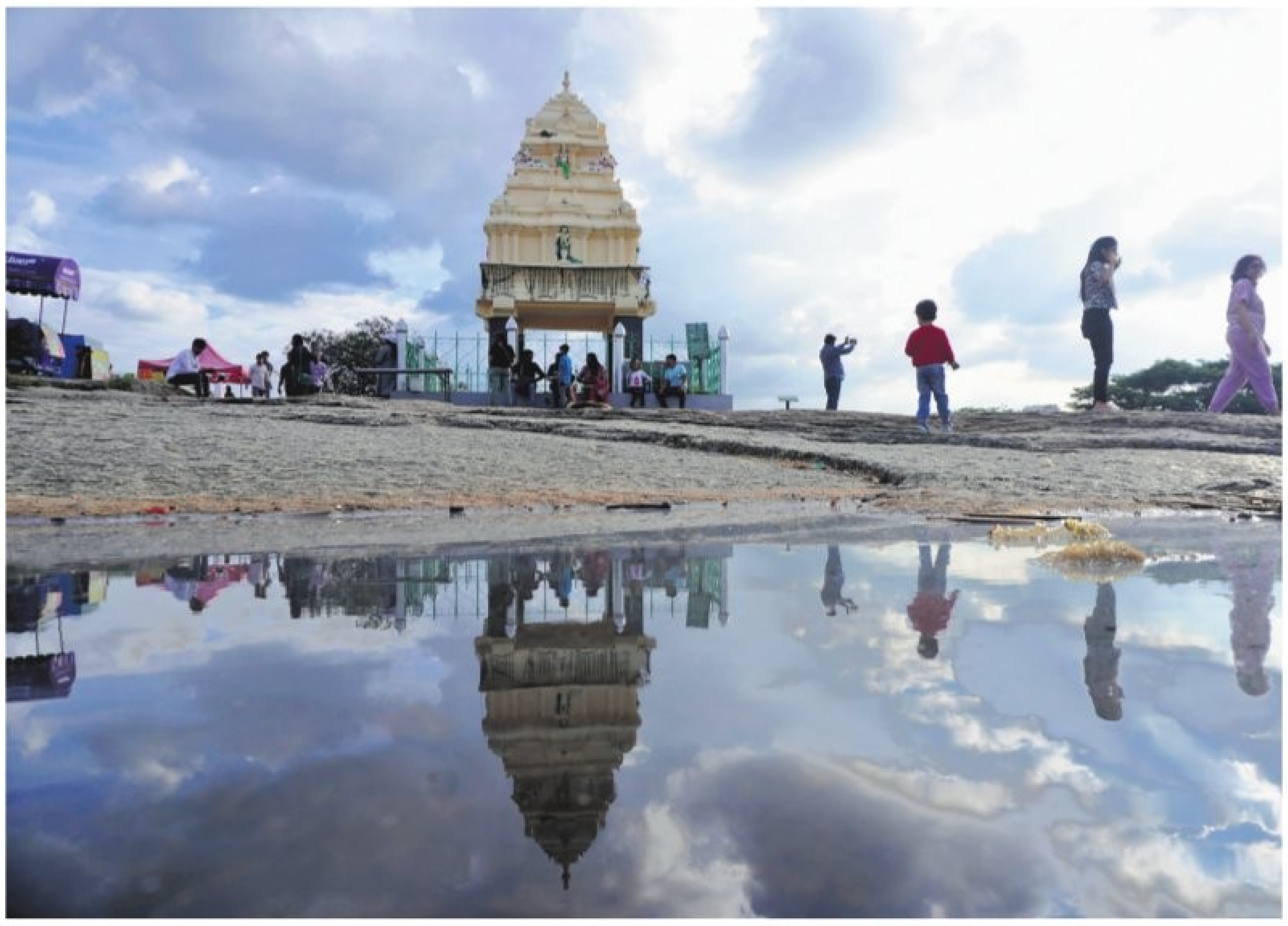
WHEN: Dec 6, 7.30pm
WHERE: Ranga Shankara, JP Nagar
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com



Soul Connection

Experience and understand the connection between body, breath and mind at the workshop Sound Body Sound Mind: Lyrical Vinyasa Meditation.

WHEN: Dec 7, 6.30pm
WHERE: SAMA - The Calm Mind Studio, Whitefield
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com



BENGALURU WONDERS

Set against an overcast sky, a still captures the reflection of the Kempegowda tower at Lalbagh | ALLEN EGENUSE J

QUICK FIX

BREAD RAVA TOAST

Contributed by **Surkhab Khan,** Lucknow

INGREDIENTS

- **Semolina:** 1/2 cup
- **Tomato:** 2 tbsp
- **Coriander leaves:** 2 tbsp
- **Ginger:** 1 tsp
- **Water:** 1/2 cup
- **Onion:** 1
- **Capsicum:** 2 tbsp
- **Green chilli:** 2
- **Carrot:** 2 tbsp
- **Salt to taste**
- **Bread (white or brown):** 4 slices
- **Butter/ vegetable oil for cooking toast**

METHOD

- Chop all the vegetables finely. Add semolina in a bowl.
- Add chopped vegetables, salt and semolina in a bowl, and mix it well with some water. The rava mixture can be coated on the bread.
- Take four slices of the bread and spread the prepared mixture onto one side of the bread slices.
- Add one tablespoon butter to the pan and put the bread. Cook it on a low flame till the rava mixture is light golden.
- Turn the bread and cook from the other sides till it is light-golden and crispy. Serve hot with your favourite sauce.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com

FIT BIT

SUKHA MATSYENDRASANA PREP

(EASY LORD OF THE FISHES POSE PREP)

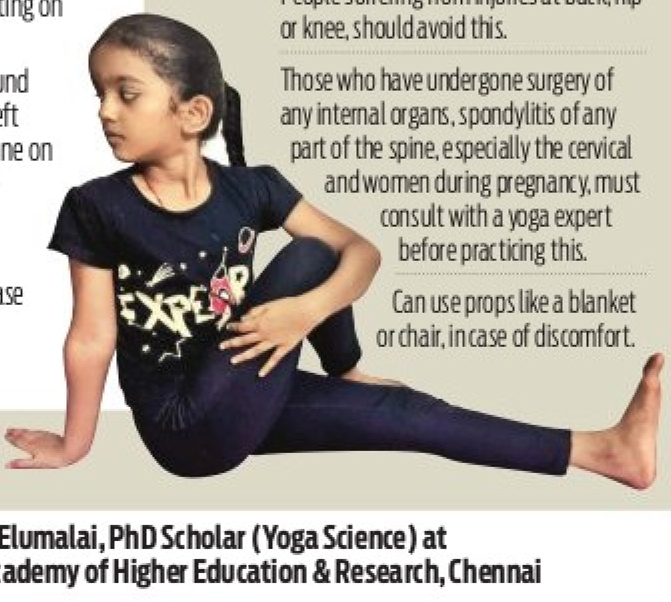
It is one of the beginner level variations of Matsyendrasana. This is a seated spinal twist and preparatory pose for Sage Marichi Pose C. This asymmetrical twisting involves the engagement of the muscles of the spine, and it emphasises deep breathing.

STEPS

- Start in Dandasana (Staff Pose), remain here for 3-4 breaths.
- Fold your right leg from the knee and keep the foot close to your left outer thigh.
- Make sure your left leg is kept straight on the floor.
- Exhale and twist your torso on the right side. Hold your folded leg with the left arm as if you are wrapping the arm around the bent knee.
- Put the right arm behind your right hip on the floor but keep some distance.
- Hold the pose for 5-6 breaths.
- Release the left arm, twist back and rest in Dandasana for 2-3 breaths.
- Repeat on the other side by folding the left leg, twisting on the left side.
- Wrap your right arm around the bent knee and the left arm right behind the spine on the floor keeping a little distance.
- Hold the pose for 5-6 breaths and slowly release and relax.

BENEFITS

- Stretches the abdominal muscles.
- Helps reduce belly fat and tone the muscles.
- Stretches and tones the back and outer hips (gluteal muscles).
- Stretches the intercostal muscles, which improves breathing.
- Helps improve mobility, flexibility, and strength of the spine.
- Helps increase awareness and focus.
- Helps prevent unnecessary pulling of the SI joint.
- Helps stimulate and soothe the nerves around the spine.
- Helps bring a calming effect.
- Helps address hip misalignment.
- Helps improve circulation in the digestive and reproductive systems.



LIMITATIONS

People suffering from injuries at back, hip or knee, should avoid this.

Those who have undergone surgery of any internal organs, spondylitis of any part of the spine, especially the cervical and women during pregnancy, must consult with a yoga expert before practicing this.

Can use props like a blanket or chair, in case of discomfort.

By N Elumalai, PhD Scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

ADI (Malayalam)

Sajeev and Geethika face problems in their marriage as the former gets beaten up on the day of his wedding. His obsession with getting back at them, despite his wife's repulsion displays satire and gender-laced comedy.

Cast: Shine Tom Chacko, Ahaana Krishna, Dhruvan

- **Watch on:** ZEE5

JETTY (Telugu)

The difficulties fishermen endure with social power structures and natural calamities leave them to depend on a jetty (dock) to save their sinking boats.

Cast: Maanyam Krishna, Nandita Swetha, Kishore Kumar G

- **Watch on:** Aha

CHAAVER (Malayalam)

Thugs commit a heinous crime to which a bystander falls victim. The story unravels as they deal with the results of their actions.

Cast: Kunchacko Boban, Antony Varghese, Arjun Ashokan

- **Watch on:** Sony LIV

KEEP CALM AND PREPARE

LEO (Tamil)

Prathiban, a cafe owner and animal rescuer's life turns upside down once he encounters a gang of dacoits who claim he was once a part of them.

Cast: Vijay, Trisha, Sanjay Dutt, Arjun, Gautham Vasudev Menon

- **Watch on:** Netflix

RICHIE GADI PELLI (Telugu)

Before Shree and Richie's wedding, Richie's friends decide to play a game where they end up spilling secrets, learning the unexpected and eventually life-altering conversations take place.

Cast: Kishore Maarisetty, Naveen Neni, Praneeta Patnaik

- **Watch on:** Aha

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

PULI MADA (Malayalam)

Vincent, a policeman and a big-time-loner, meets paths with a tourist after his wedding gets called off. They meet many other absurd situations like an encounter with a deadly tiger.

Cast: Joju George, Aishwarya Rajesh, Lijomol Jose, Jeo Baby

- **Watch on:** Netflix

THE VILLAGE (Tamil, series)

A man takes the assistance of locals as he frantically searches for his family who is suspected to have fallen prey to sinister forces.

Cast: Arya, George Maryan, Divya Pillai

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

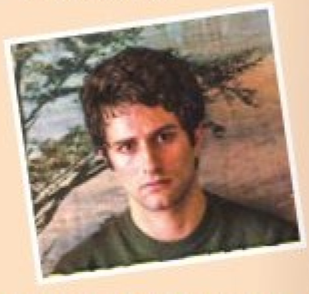
FOREIGN

MY DEMON (Korean, series)

An action-romance series depicting the love story between a monster who loses his abilities overnight and a chaebol heiress.

Cast: Kim Yoo-jung, Song Kang, Lee Sang-yi

- **Watch on:** Netflix



I DON'T EXPECT ANYONE TO BELIEVE ME (Spanish)

Juan Pablos' plans of pursuing a PhD in Literature take a backseat as he gets involved in a criminal network and as a result, begins to write the novel he always envisioned for himself.

Cast: Maria Camila Arias, Fernando Frias, Juan Pablo Villalobos

- **Watch on:** Netflix

VIRGIN RIVER (English, series)

Melinda Monroe is on the hunt for her biological father. Lizzie might be pregnant. The universe is growing, new characters and old characters make appearances.

Cast: Alexandra Breckenridge, Martin Henderson, Colin Lawrence, Tim Matheson

- **Watch on:** Netflix

A NEARLY NORMAL FAMILY (English, series)

Adam and Urlika live a peaceful life with daughter Stella until she is accused of murder and they become desperate to save each other from the dire situation.

Cast: Lo Kauppi, Björn Bengtsson, Alexandra Karlsson Tyrefors

- **Watch on:** Netflix

SUBSCRIPTION

Netflix:	₹199/month
Prime Video:	₹299/month
Jio Cinema:	₹999/year
Disney+ Hotstar:	₹899/year
Zee5:	₹699/year
Viki Ratuken:	₹299/month
Aha:	₹699/year
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TRAVEL MEMOIRS THAT BROADEN MINDS

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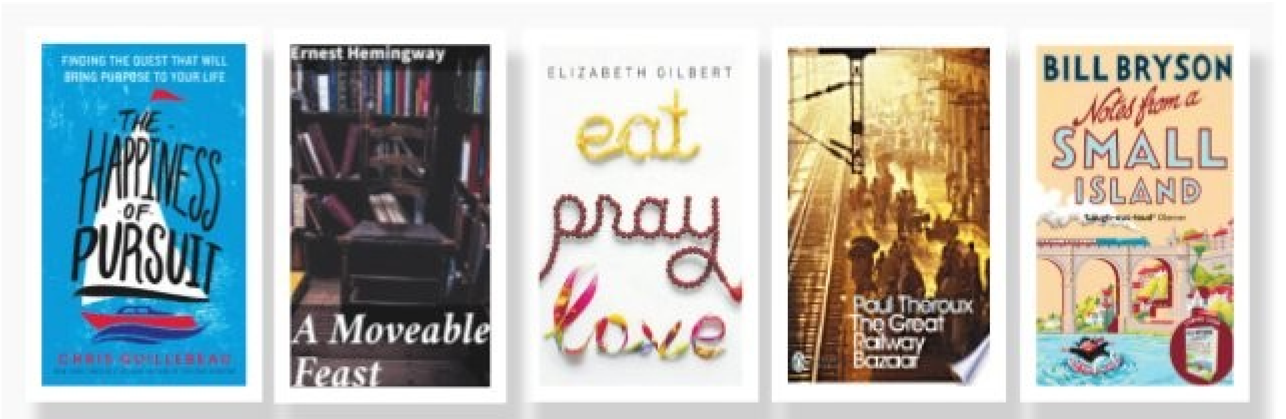
(The author is a technologist based in Silicon Valley who is gently mad about books)


FINDING THE QUEST THAT WILL BRING PURPOSE TO YOUR LIFE
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BILL BRYSON
Notes from a SMALL ISLAND

On my last visit to Paris, I read the restored edition of *A Moveable Feast* by Ernest Hemingway. If you want to walk the city streets of Paris in the 1920s and sit in the cafés and bars to catch a glimpse of the literati that famously once made the city their home, reading *A Moveable Feast* is the best way to time-travel.

Travel books come in styles ranging from the documentary to the literary and the journalistic, and from memoir to humour. Personally, travel memoir is my favourite sub-genre, and everyone should read *The Happiness of Pursuit* by author, entrepreneur and blogger, Chris Guillebeau. Though the book does not strictly fall under travel memoir, I loved Chris's message as he set out to visit all the planet's countries by age 35. His journey's biggest revelation would be how many people like him exist – each pursuing a challenging quest. These quests are as diverse as humanity itself and the book is a playbook for making your life count!

Travelling helps you to confront new places, new ideas, and new people. It broadens your perspective in unimaginable ways. It allows you to see another culture's way of life and perspective. It helps you learn more about yourself and grow as a person, both intellectually and emotionally. During the first half of my life, I was fortunate to travel the length and breadth of the country, thanks to my father's transferable job in the Indian Railways. My professional life allowed me to travel across the world in the second half of my life, some of my favourites being Buenos Aires in Argentina, Jerusalem in Israel, Kyoto in Japan, Death Valley in the USA, Bergen in Norway, and Udaipur in India. A lifetime is not enough to travel to all the places in my bucket list, but the three countries I yearn to visit are Egypt, Iran, and Cuba – not in any particular order!

When it comes to books, my education in this genre was via Bill Bryson and Pico Iyer. All my Bill Bryson books were bought from Premier Bookshop in Bengaluru – I felt that every time Bryson walked out of his door, memorable travel literature threatened to break out. His storytelling laced with humour made the books readable even for people who have never stepped outside their country. Bryson's bestselling travel books include *The Lost Continent*, *Notes from a Small Island*, *A Walk in the Woods*, *Neither Here nor There*, and *Down Under*. And when it comes to Pico Iyer, I would recommend reading all his books, multiple times – even if you don't intend to travel to the places he writes about!

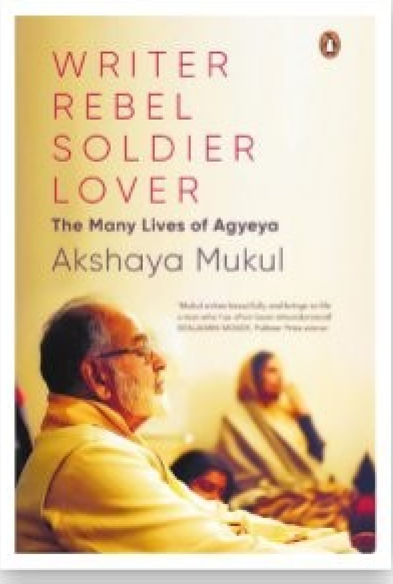
Two classics in this genre are *Eat, Pray, Love* by Elizabeth Gilbert (2007) and *The Great Railway Bazaar: By Train Through Asia* by Paul Theroux (1975). *Eat, Pray, Love* launched a thousand solo trips (and a movie starring Julia Roberts) and is no doubt one of the most influential travel books written in the first decade of the 21st century. Gilbert's tale of leaving her humdrum life to find herself in Italy, India, and Bali will make you want to book a trip and start re-thinking those New Year's resolutions all at once. In Theroux's first travel book, he goes from London to Tokyo – mostly by rail. His main subjects are the passengers he meets. It's the perfect travel book as I could relate it to my childhood train journeys. There's a simple idea behind Theroux's odyssey, but an incredible range of landscapes and people. The book evokes a wonderful sense of freedom that I don't experience anymore in my travels on an airplane!

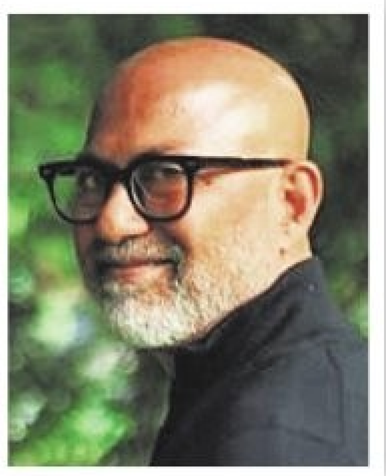
A map, a timetable and the *Lonely Planet* used to be necessary travel aids in the past. Today, all we need is a phone with an internet connection, but a good travel memoir remains a timeless companion!

(The writers' views are their own)

NUGGETS

Winner of Kamaladevi Chattopadhyay NIF Book Prize 2023 announced





The New India Foundation, an organisation that enables research on independent India through fellowships, announced the winner of the Kamaladevi Chattopadhyay NIF Book Prize 2023 as **Akshaya Mukul** for *Writer Rebel Soldier Lover: The Many Lives of Agyeya*, published by Penguin Random House. The winner was selected by a jury, including political scientist Niraja Gopal Jayal (chair), entrepreneur Manish Sabharwal; historian Srinath Raghavan; former diplomat Navtej Sarna; policy analyst Yamini Aiyar, and lawyer Rahul Matthan. The winner won amongst shortlisted works such as Achyut Chetan's *Founding Mothers of the Indian Republic*, *Rotem Geva's Delhi Reborn: Partition and Nation Building in India's Capital*, and more. Mukul reveals Agyeya's revolutionary life by bringing into light Agyeya's public and secret affairs, including private papers, documents of the CIA-funded Congress for Cultural Freedom and colonial records of his years in jail. The writer also wrote about Agyeya's secret lover, his relationship with a first cousin, and more. Mukul received a cash award of ₹15 lakh, a trophy and a citation.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CHANGE OF NAME

DATE OF BIRTH CORRECTED

I, **Savanoor Sudha Divakarrai** spouse of Divakar Rai Bolikala, Rank: CPO/MAA, Service No. 055655R resident of No 6, 2nd Cross, Basappa Layout, Sanjay Nagar, Bangalore (North) RMV Extension 2nd Stage, Bangalore, Karnataka 560094 sought correction for Date of Birth from 21.09.1952 to **21.09.1950** vide Affidavit dated 2nd December 2023 at Bangalore before Advocate & Notary Kundan Babu M

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **(OLD NAME) SHAIK SHABENA BANU** SPOUSE OF NO 15301149Y Ex L/NK Late SHAIK MAHABOOB BASHA, Residing at House NO.231/2, 5th Cross, Venkatashamappa Layout, Chamundi Nagar, R.T. Nagar Post, Bangalore, KARNATAKA (State), PIN: 560032, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) SHAIK SHABEENA BANU,** Vide Affidavit Dated 02.12.2023 Sworn S.I. BALAGURU BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **(OLD NAME) B. SUJATHA** Spouse of NO. 15322030H HAV BATHALA CHANDRAMOHAN, Residing at K. Buduguntapalli (Vill & Post), Rly Kodur (MD & Taluk), Kadapa (Dist), ANDHRA PRADESH (State), PIN: 516101, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) BATHALA SUJATHA,** Vide Affidavit Dated 04.12.2023 Sworn Before Notary GANGARAJU.B.N BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, SERVICE NO. 15327740K HAV VEER RAGHAVULU KEELU, of unit: CIW, Depot Bn, MEG & CENTRE, Bangalore, KARNATAKA(State), PIN: 560042, Have Changed My Son Name **(OLD NAME) KEELU JOHIT** to **(NEW NAME) KEELU JOHITH,** Vide Affidavit Dated 01.12.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, SERVICE NO. JC- 313799M NB SUB VISWANADHAM KANCHU Residing at Atchannapalem (Vill), Gara (MD), Vadada (Post), Srikakulam (Dist), ANDHRA PRADESH (State), PIN: 532401, Have Changed My Daughter Name **(OLD NAME) K. HARSHITHA** to **(NEW NAME) KANCHU HARSHITHA,** Vide Affidavit Dated 01.12.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **VRINDA SRINIVAS,** W/o. Srinivasa Janardhan, age about 63 years, Residing at No.1063, Sobha Valley View, Opp Legacy Kalyana Mantapa, Hosakerehalli, BSK 3rd Stage, Bengaluru-85. do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **VRUNDA DEVI P. TO VRINDA SRINIVAS.** vide affidavit dated 04/11/2023 sworn before advocate & Notary S.R. ThulasiKrishna, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SRINIVASA JANARDHAN ,** S/o. Janardhana, age about 71 years, Residing at No.1063, Sobha Valley View, Opp Legacy Kalyana Mantapa, Hosakerehalli, BSK 3rd Stage, Bengaluru-85. do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SRINIVASA J. TO SRINIVASA JANARDHAN.** vide affidavit dated 04/11/2023 sworn before advocate & Notary S.R. ThulasiKrishna, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, SMT ASHA KUMARI G T, W/o. Sri Adike Dhanunjaya, age about 40 years, Residing at No.496, SLV Roopa Apartment, Flat No.301, 4th Cross, BEML Layout, 3rd Stage, Rajarajeshwari -nagar, Bengaluru-98. do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ASHA KUMARI DEEPA ADIKE. TO SMT ASHA KUMARI G T.** vide affidavit dated 04/11/2023 sworn before advocate & Notary S.R. ThulasiKrishna, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SYED SALEHA SHABBEER,** W/o Syed Shabbeer, age 61 years, R/at No. 01, 6th Cross, Modi Green, J.C. Nagar, Bengaluru-560006, Karnataka do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SALEHA KHANUM** to **SYED SALEHA SHABBEER,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SYED SALEHA SHABBEER** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 9th Nov. 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **B.V. NAGABHUSHANA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SWETHA JANU NAIK** D/o Janu Ganapati Naik aged about 34 years, residing at No. 32, 13th Cross, Narayanappa Block, Chikkasandra Village, Bangalore North, Dasarahalli, Bengaluru 560057, have changed my name from **SWETHA MANOJ KUMAR** to **SWETHA JANU NAIK**, vide Affidavit dated 12th December 2023 bearing E- Stamp Paper Certificate No. IN-KA59657221133750V Sworn before Notary **N. MAHESHA**, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **P BHARGHAV BERESH** No.22, 2nd Stage, 2nd Phase, 14th 'A' Cross, West of Chord Road, Mahalakshmipuram, Benglauru 560086. Do here by declare that my name changed from "P BHARGHAV BERESH" (Old Name) to **BARGHAV BERESH P** (New Name) vide affidavit dated **30.11.2023** sworn to before me **R. Raghunath Rao, B.Sc., LL.B.,** Advocate & Notary, Bangalore-560010.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **VENKATESH BABU AEDATHERE VENKATAPPA PRABHAKAR SETTY,** S/o Aedathere Venkatappa Prabhakar Setty, R/at NO. 74, 1st Cross, Gangadhar Nagar, Sarakki Gate, Bengaluru-560 078 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **VENKATESH BABU S/O AEDATHERE VENKATAPPA PRABHAKAR SETTY** to **VENKATESH BABU AEDATHERE VENKATAPPA PRABHAKAR SETTY,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **VENKATESH BABU AEDATHERE VENKATAPPA PRABHAKAR SETTY** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 4th Dec. 2023, sworn Advocate and Notary **Gangaraju B.N.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **CHETHANA JAIN HASSAN SURENDRA,** W/o Pavan Kumar Jain, R/at No. 417/1, Chethana Nilaya, Church Road, Near Rasana Store Murugeshpalya, Bengaluru-560 017 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **CHETHANA HASSAN SURENDRA** to **CHETHANA JAIN HASSAN SURENDRA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **CHETHANA JAIN HASSAN SURENDRA** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 24th Nov. 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU B.N.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RASMI RAVINDRANATHAN,** D/o Ravindranathan, W/o Sreekumar, age 46 years, presently R/at Maple 3035, Sobha Forestview, Block-3, Off Kanakapura Road, Vajarahalli Road, Near Mahadeshwara Temple, Thalaghattapura, Thalaghattapura Post, Bengaluru-560 109, Karnataka do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **RASMI SREEKUMAR** to **RASMI RAVINDRANATHAN,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **RASMI RAVINDRANATHAN** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 5-12-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **P. ANURADHA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, SHALINI K, W/o. Ramu D, residing at No. 347, Hosur Main Road, Jayanagar 1st Block, Lalbagh, Siddapura, Bangalore-560011, Karnataka, India, declare that I have changed the name of my Minor daughter from PRECILA R (Old Name) to PRISCILLA R (New Name), henceforth my Daughter shall be known and called as PRISCILLA R (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 04/12/2023 before Notary Hegde Ganapati Venkatraman, at BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **BEEMA K NAIK,** S/o Kuppu Nai, age 53 years, R/at NO. B-37, 2nd Floor, Sri Ram Sadana Apartment, M.S. Ramaiah Road, Gokula, Benglauru North, Bengaluru-560 054 do hereby declare that my name was called as **K. BEEMA,** after adding surname **NAIK,** I have changed my name to **BEEMA K NAIK,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **BEEMA K NAIK** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 01-12-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **D.S. CHANDRAKANTH** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ARIFULLA SHERIFF,** S/o Mohamed Abdul Jaleel, R/at No. 19, A Central Street, Cleveland Town, Frazer Town, Benglauru-560 005, have changed my name to **ARIFULLA SHARIFF,** vide affidavit dated 05.12.2023, before notary **C.V. EARAPPA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SONIYA JAIN,** W/o Pankaj Kumar Chopra, R/at No. 67, 3rd Floor, Siddana Lane Sankalp, Cubbonpet, Bengaluru-560 002, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SONIYA JAIN CHANDANMAL JAIN** to **SONIYA JAIN,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SONIYA JAIN** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 5th Dec. 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **MAMATHA N.K.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **BHARAT KUMAR PUROHIT,** S/o Savala Ram Purohit, R/at NO. 2166, 16th Floor, Prestige West Woods Beamount, Goplapura, Bengaluru-560 023 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **PUROHIT BHARAT SAVLAJI** to **BHARAT KUMAR PUROHIT,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **BHARAT KUMAR PUROHIT** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 5th Dec. 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **MAMATHA N.K.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SEEMA RANI** D/o Sarwan Kumar Mittal, age 37 years, R/at No. 2C, 615, Suncity Gloria, Sarjapura Road, Decathlon, Doddanakannalli, Bengaluru South-560 035 do hereby declare that I have changed my daughter's name from **RUHANA MAHAJAN** to **RUHANA MITTAL,** henceforth she shall be known and called as **RUHANA MITTAL** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 4th Dec. 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **FAHIM UNNISA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **NAGESH M,** S/o Munivenkatappa, age 35 years, R/at No. 274, Muthsandra Main Road, Sorahunse, Janatha Colony, Varthur, Bangalore-560 087, Karnataka, India do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **NAGESHA M** to **NAGESH MUNIVENKATAPPA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **NAGESH MUNIVENKATAPPA** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 05-12-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **VYSHALI .K** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) SUHAIB SALIM residing at No.12304, Nikoo Homes-1, Tower-1, 23rd Floor, Bhartiya City, Thanisandra Main Road, Yelahanka Post, Bangalore-560064, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) SUHAIB SALIM** to **(NEW NAME) SUHAIB MEER KHAN** vide affidavit dated 04.12.2023 sworn before Notary A.Manjula, Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **SAMRIDDHI JAISWAL,** D/o Mr. Sanjay Kumar Jaiswal, age 25 years, R/at Flat No. 002, 5C-915, MIMS Greenscape, 5th Cross, 9 E Main Road, First Block, HRBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560 043 do hereby declare that my name s shown as **SAMRIDDHI** in the passport, whereas my full correct name is **SAMRIDDHI JAISWAL,** surname **JAISWAL** is affixed to my name, vide Affidavit dated 4th December 2023, sworn before Advocate **Siddeswara** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **DAISY CHONGBOI HAQKIP** R/at No.2, 5th Cross, Anjinappa Layout, Kothanur DR Shivarama Karanth Nagar Bangalore-560077, have changed my name to **DAISY CHONGBOI** vide affidavit dated: 4/12/2023 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Mrs. GAYATHRI S K,** wife of Mr. VENKATARAMU, Age 53 years, Residing at No. 411, 5th Cross, 1st Main, Near Hebbal Big Bazar Tata Nagar, Bangalore North, Sahakaranagar P.O., Bangalore, Karnataka - 560 092, do hereby say that, **GAYATHRI S K** and **GAYATHRI VENKATARAMU** and **GAYITHRI S K** is one and the same person i.e., myself. I hereby declare that my correct name is **GAYATHRI S.K.** vide affidavit dated 04.12.2023 sworn to before K.V. Nanjaiah, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MURALIDHAR KRISHNA REDDY** R/at No.270 23rd Main 24th Cross HSR Layout 2nd Sector Bengaluru -560102 have changed my minor Daughter name from **GANVI MURALIDHARA** to **GAANVI MURALIDHAR** vide affidavit dated: 5/12/2023 Before Notary **K.V.Mani** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MADHUKUMAR,** S/o. Lalanakere Basavaraju @ Yash Gowda Basavegowda, R/at No. 05, 2nd Cross, 5th Main, Mallathahalli 9th Block, S.M.V. Further Extension, Bangalore - 560 056, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **MADHUKUMAR** to **YASH GOWDA** vide affidavit dated 04.12.2023 sworn to before Devaraja .E, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **BALAJI BENAK THOTA,** Aged about 29 years, S/o. Devarajulu T, No. 477, 1st Floor, 3rd Main, 14th Cross, Shasthrinagar, Bangalore - 560 070, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **THOTA BALAJI** to **BALAJI BENAK THOTA** vide affidavit dated 05.12.2023 sworn to before K.V. Mani, Advocate and Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **GURUNATHA** S/o **Jagannatha Shetty** R/at No. 1-47(3) Achin House, Padangady, Belthangady, Dakshina Kannada- 574217 have changed my name to **GURUNATHA JAGANNATHA SHETTY** vide affidavit dated: 4/12/2023 Before Notary **M.K.Devaki** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **HANMANTHARAYA** S/o **Naganna Bhosle,** R/at No.1/98, Sedam Road, Near Siddlingeshwar Temple, Gundagurthi, Gulbarga-585317, have changed my name to **HANMANTHARAY NAGANNA BHOSLE** vide affidavit dated: 4/12/2023 Before Notary **M.K.Devaki** Bngalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, VINUTHA N, W/o Girish.G.S. Aged about 44 years, residing at No.960/14, 1st Main, 2nd Cross, Near S.G. International School, Vijayananda Nagar, Nandini Layout, Bengaluru-560096. Karnataka. Do here by declare that my name changed from "VINUTHA N" (Old Name) to **VINUTHA NAGARAJ** (New Name) vide affidavit dated **05.12.2023** sworn to before me **R.S. VIJAY,** Notary Public, Government of India, Bengaluru-560043.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHAMA UNNISSA** R/at No.546, 4th Cross, Muniyappa Compound ILYAS Nagar Bengaluru- 560078, have changed my name to **MUBEEN TAJ** vide affidavit dated: 4/12/2023 before Notary **Prakasha. C** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **PUSHKARAJ SHIRGURKAR** S/O **PRAMOD ANANT SHIRGURKAR** R/at No. F 807 Sterling Shalom Itpl Main Road Kundalahalli Doddanekkundi Post Bengaluru -560037 have changed my name to **PUSHKARAJ PRAMOD SHIRGURKAR** vide affidavit dated: 5/12/2023 Before Notary **K.V.Mani** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RATNAPRABHU CHOUGALA** S/o **Tammanna** aged about 40 Years, R/at No.283, 2nd Main Road, BEML Layout, Vrushabhavathinagar, Bangalore- 560079, have changed my name to **RATNAPRABHU TAMMANNA CHOUGALA** vide affidavit dated: 4/11/2023 Before Notary **L. Shankaranarayana** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, SHREE LEKHA .V (New Name) D/o Venkatesh .D aged about 34 years residing at No. 34/16, Near Maruthi Wood Works, Near Rajkumar Samadhi, Lakshmidevi Nagara, Nandini Layout, Bangalore-560096, Have changed my name from **SELVI V. (Old name)** to **SHREE LEKHA .V (New name)** vide affidavit dated 04th December, 2023 sworn before notary Onkarappa N.R., Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, TRILOK CHAND BHANDARI aged about 61 years, D.O.B, 2-10-1962, have changed my name from **TRILOK CHAND** to **TRILOK CHAND BHANDARI,** vide affidavit dated 4/12/2023 sworn to before P. N. Nagesha advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SANTOSH KUMAR KITHIGANOORU GOPAL REDDY** S/O **GOPAL REDDY KITHIGANUR VENKATAPPA REDDY** R/at No. 303 Kithiganur Village KR Puram Post Bengaluru- 560036 have changed my name to **SANTHOSH KUMAR KITHIGANUR GOPAL REDDY** vide affidavit dated: 5/12/2023 Before Notary **K.V.Mani** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MANJULA DEVI** aged about 58 years, D.O.B,by mistake wrongly mentioned in previous passport is 05-05-1964, and correct date of birth is mentioned in my AAdhaar card is 24-04-1965, have changed my name from **MANJULA BAI** to **MANJULA DEVI,** vide affidavit dated 4/12/2023 sworn to before P.N. Nagesha advocate and notary Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHEETAL KOTRA** R/at No.402 Riverine Shri Sannidhi Apartment, Chikkannappa Layout Near DS Max Apartment HBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar Post, Bangalore- 560043, have changed my name to **SHEETAL DAMARLA** vide affidavit dated: 4/12/2023 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, VIJAY JAIN, S/O LATE G AMARCHAND JAIN, residing at No 2,7th cross Jai Bharath Nagar, Banaswadi main road, Bangalore 560033, have changed my name from **A Vijay Kumar** to **VIJAY JAIN,** vide affidavit dated 5/12/2023 sworn to before K.G. Rajpal advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SUDHA RAGHUNATH TERE** R/at Flat No.411, B Block, Arcade Elegance Apartment Divya Unnati Layout Horamavu Kalyan Nagar Post, Bangalore-560043, have changed my name to **SUDHA RAGHUNATH** vide affidavit dated: 4/12/2023 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, DEEPIKA TANDEL, aged about 35 years, daughter of Mr. Kamalakar Balu Tandel, residing at House No.702/A, M.G.Road, Kharviwada, Near LIC Building, Karwar, Karnataka, India, I declare that both the below said names i.e., **"Deepika K Tandel"** and **"Deepika Tandel"** are of one and the same person i.e., myself, my name in Kannada Language is spelled as [illegible], vide affidavit dated 5/12/2023 sworn to before A.B. Muneer Ahmed advocate notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SYED AZAJ** R/at No.599, Near Aqsa Masjid Fayazabad, Kanakanagar, Yelachenahalli, Bengaluru- 560078, have changed my name to **SYED AJAZ** vide affidavit dated: 4/12/2023 Before Notary **Prakasha. C** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RAMA VENKATA SUBBA LAKSHMI MUKKAVILLI,** W/o Late Sunil Malthus Medithi, aged about 51 years, residing at No.8, I Floor, I Cross, Anjinappa Block, Krishnamma Garden, Benson Town, Bengaluru-560 046, I declare that my son **TANNMAI AARONN MEDITHI** has passed his X Std. in ICSE-2022, (ICSE-NEW DELHI) In my son's ICSE (1) Statement of Marks & (2) Pass Certificate his parents' surname have not been mentioned. Parents names mentioned in the Certificates as Name of father **SUNIL MALTHUS** and Name of mother : **RAMA V.S. LAKSHMI** Parents names/surnames to be modified in the Certificates as Name of father: **SUNIL MALTHUS MEDITHI** and Name of mother: **RAMA VENKATA SUBBA LAKSHMI MUKKAVILLI,** vide affidavit dated 4/12/2023 sworn to before K.V.Bachi Reddy advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **M TOUSIF (Mahaboob Tousif)** R/at No.56, 4th Cross Muneshwara Nagar Shampura Main Road Bangalore- 560045, have changed my name to **SYED TOUSIF** vide affidavit dated: 4/12/2023 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RAMA VENKATA SUBBA LAKSHMI MUKKAVILLI,** W/o Late Sunil Malthus Medithi, aged about 51 years, residing at No.8, I Floor, I Cross, Anjinappa Block, Krishnamma Garden, Benson Town, Bengaluru-560 046, I declare that my son NIRMAI JORDAN MEDITHI studying X Std. (ICSE, NEW DELHI) from Bishop Cotton Boys School, Bangalore ICSE BOARD for the purpose incorporate our names/surnames, Parents names mentioned in the Registration forms and School Records as Name of father **SUNIL MALTHUS** and Name of mother : **RAMA V.S. LAKSHMI** Parents names/surnames to be modified in the Certificates as Name of father: **SUNIL MALTHUS MEDITHI** and Name of mother: **RAMA VENKATA SUBBA LAKSHMI MUKKAVILLI,** vide affidavit dated 4/12/2023 sworn to before K.V.Bachi Reddy advocate and notary Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, DEEPTI HARISH, aged about 42 years, W/o. Harish Kumar Sreenivas, resident of #C-002, Ground Floor, Gaana Regent, Uttarahalli Main Road, Behind RNS IT Engineering College, Rajarajeshwarinagar, Bengaluru-560098

I declare that the names

DEEPTI HARISH and

DEEPTI HARISH KUMAR

both the names belongs to me only, one and the same person, vide affidavit dated 05/12/2023 sworn before advocate and notary Deepa .M, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, CHETAN S MATH S/o. Shankarayya H Math, aged about 39 years, Residing at No.A 502 Mantri Webcity, Near Southern Asia Bible College, Nagenahalli, Kothanur Post, Hennur Main Road Bangalore North, Bangalore - 560 077, have changed my name from

Chetan S Math /

Chetan Shankarayya Math to

CHETAN MATH

Vide Affidavit dated 04.12.2023 sworn before advocate and notary, Gangaraju .B.N, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Billavaar Chandrashekara Niranjan, aged about 37 years, S/o. B.S Chandra shekar residing at Halligattu Village, Ponnampet Post, Kodagu, Karnatak-571216, have changed my name from **BILLAVAAR CHANDRASHEKARA NIRANJAN** to **B.C NIRANJAN (BILLAVA CHANDRASHEKAR NIRANJAN),** vide affidavit dated 04/12/2023 sworn before notary H.G PADMANABHA RAO, Reg. No.12464, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, PRASHANTH.K, S/o Dr. Kumaraswamy N, aged about 47 years, R/at # A-101, Shri Sai Royal Residency, 1st Cross, 1st Main, Bhoopasandra, Sanjayanagar, Bangalore - 560094.

I have changed my minor Son name from **"AMOGH PRASHANTH"** to **"AAMOGH PRASHANTH"** Vide Affidavit dated **: 05/12/2023** Sworn to before **VIJAYALAKSHMI** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, HARSHA CHARYA B.K, S/o Late Krishna Murthy B.S, R/at No.299, 10th Main, 6th Cross, 2nd Stage, BEL Layout , Bharatnagar, Bangalore - 560091.

I have changed my minor (17 Years) daughter name from **"VAIBHAVI.H"** to **"VAIBHAVI.B.H"** Vide Affidavit dated:**02/12/2023** Sworn to before **Udaykriyappa.B.G,** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

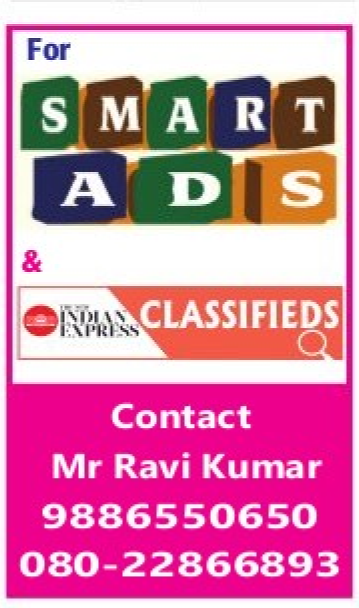
I, **PRAPULLA,** W/o. Suresha Airody Narayan, Aged about 58 years, R/o No.18B, Sharada Nilaya 4th A Cross, Brindavan Layout, Padmanabhanagar, Bengaluru- 61, have changed my name from **PRAPULLA** to **PRAPULLA S,** vide affidavit dated 08-11-2023 sworn before notary B.K.R KRISHNAMURTHY, Reg No. 1351, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

We, **Mr. MAHESH H C., S/o Late. M CHANDRAIAH** and **Smt. NALINA T J., W/o. Mr. MAHESH H C,** R/at No.107, 7# Cross, Markandeshwara Nagar, Srigandhakaval, Sunkadakatte, Bangalore - 560091, have changed our Son's name from **RAJANISH BILIGERE** (Earlier Birth Certificate) (Old Name) To **RAJANISH MAHESH** (Correct Name) (New Name) for all purposes, vide affidavit Dated: 02-12-2023 before notary **Vanajashri R.**

CHANGE OF NAME

We, **Mr. MAHESH H C., S/o Late. M CHANDRAIAH** and **Smt. NALINA T J., W/o. Mr. MAHESH H C,** R/at No.107, 7# Cross, Markandeshwara Nagar, Srigandhakaval, Sunkadakatte, Bangalore - 560091, have changed our Son's name from **VINISH BILIGERE** (Earlier Birth Certificate) (Old Name) To **VINISH MAHESH** (Correct Name) (New Name) for all purposes, vide affidavit Dated: 02-12-2023 before notary **Vanajashri R.**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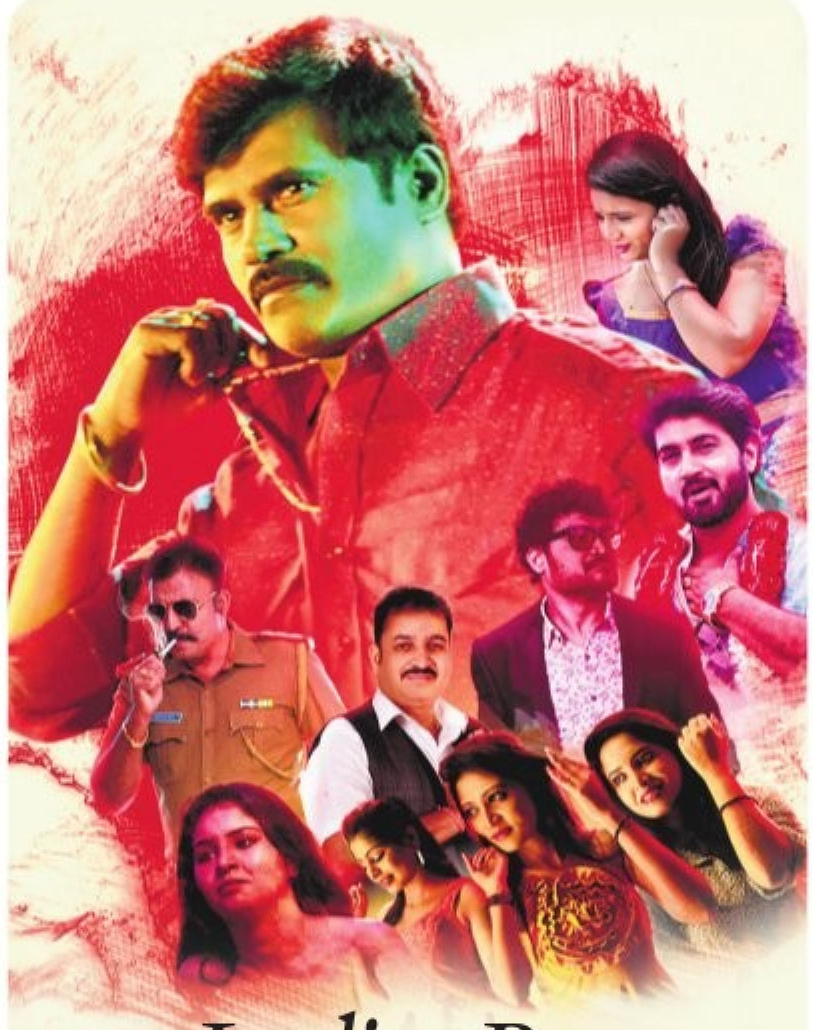


Ladies Bar aims to deliver a substantial message: Director Mutthu

CE FEATURES

THE title *Ladies Bar* may give the impression that the film is centred around drinking, but, the creators of the film share that, *Ladies Bar* doesn't solely focus on that. "We've aimed to deliver a more substantial message to society and it will be evident upon watching the movie," mentioned director Mutthu AN Raju during the recent teaser and song release on the Siri Music audio label.

"We primarily filmed in Bangalore and have plan to release the film in January," he added.

TM Somaraju, the producer, who also plays a significant role, shared, "I had no prior experience in the cinema industry. It was Rajashekhar, my friend, who introduced me to this field. I found the director's story compelling, leading me to produce and act in a pivotal role." he said.

Starring Ganesh Rao and Aradhya in the lead, Ladies Bar has music by Harish, cinematography by Veena Murti, and dialogues by Jaggu Master.

I HAD TO FORGET MYSELF TO PLAY KAIVA

DHANVEERRAH

The actor discusses his latest film *Kaiva* and the pursuit of roles that align with his persona and the guidance of director Jayathirtha

Dhanveerrah

A SHARADHAA

DHANVEERRAH, known for his initial portrayal in 'mass' hero role in his debut *Bazaar,* directed by Suni, showcased his versatility in the romantic drama *By 2 Love*. He is currently anticipating the upcoming release of *Vamana*. However, the pursuit of roles that resonated with his persona and his urge to maintain a mass hero image posed a challenge to him until Jayathirtha's *Kaiva* happened. "Waiting for the right role that strikes a chord with the audience has been my aim, even if it involves a long wait," says Dhanveerrah, sharing insights about his upcoming film, ahead of its release this week.

Interestingly, Jayathirtha's *Kaiva* not only positions him as a mass hero but also ensures a substantial content. "A blend of mass appeal and content in a script is rare. While actors aim to entertain, they also need a platform to exhibit their acting skills, and *Kaiva* perfectly fits that bill," expresses Dhanveerrah.

A still from *Kaiva*

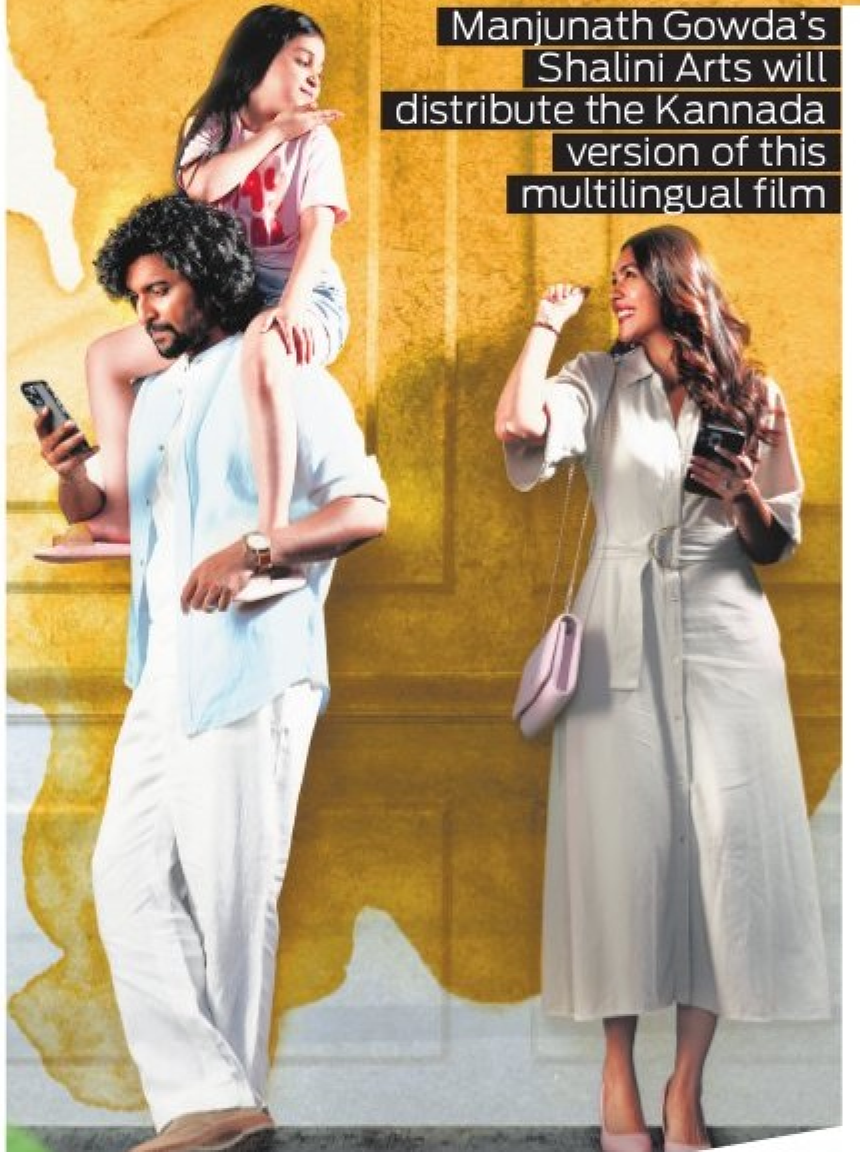
Set against the backdrop of the iconic annual Bengaluru Karaga festival, *Kaiva* delves into a romantic narrative intertwined with elements of crime. Dhanveerrah's titular character, which is said to be a reference to the Hindu lord Kaivara Bheema, as his portrayal is inspired by an incident that has taken place in the year 1983. Speaking about his experience and preparation for the role, encompassing both action sequences and performance, he mentions, "Unlike the usual commercial films, *Kaiva* required authentic fight sequences given its setting in 1980s period. Immersing myself in the character's mannerisms was crucial to me. My role was shaped under Jayathirtha's guidance, rooted in his interaction with a real-life couple. I shed my persona as Dhanveerrah to encapsulate my role in *Kaiva,* and the people, who have seen the film resonated positively with my character."

Dhanveerrah, hailing from Tigalarapete with ancestral ties to the area where the entire story was centred, he shares, "Despite being born in the 1990s, my connection to Tigalarapete remained strong as I actively participated in the Karaga festival rituals every year as my mother would take us. Strangely, those blessings seemed to pave my path to becoming part of *Kaiva*," he says, adding, "Though Jayathirtha approached several actors and stars with this narrative, destiny led me to portray Kaiva."

Touching briefly on Kaiva's character, he adds, "Kaiva represents someone navigating love and embodies the existence of innocence amidst adversity. When living in a confined world, certain circumstances may trigger individuals to go to any extent to protect their love and family, similar to *Kaiva*."

Speaking about his character's appearance, he concludes, "For the look of *Kaiva*, I had to go retro particularly for the hairstyle. I underwent several trials, and eventually, the same hair attachment used by Darshan in *Roberrt* was a perfect fit," he signs off.

Hi Nanna will have a strong emotional connection with audiences across all languages: Nani



Manjunath Gowda's Shalini Arts will distribute the Kannada version of this multilingual film

CE FEATURES

ACTOR Nani, the lead of the upcoming multilingual film *Hi Nanna,* was in Bengaluru to promote the highly anticipated film before its theatrical release on December 7. Before his media interactions, the actor visited the residence of Century Star Shivarajkumar, where he spent some time over breakfast, and met his wife, Geetha.

Expressing gratitude for the support he received for his previous film, *Dasara*, the actor urged everyone to extend their love for his forthcoming project, *Hi Nanna,* directed by Shouryuv. "The script, crafted in collaboration with Nagendra Kasi, the title *Hi Nanna* will have a strong emotional connection with audiences across all South Indian languages, and with Hi Pappa(in Hindi)," revealed by the actor.

"*Dasara* showcased me in a powerful mass role, while *Hi Nanna* is a classy and emotionally charged film," stated the actor. The film features Mrunal Thakur as the female lead, with Shruti Haasan, Kiara Khanna and Angad Bedi in significant roles, alongside Jayaram and Priyadarshi.

Produced by Mohan Cherukuri and Vijayender Reddy under the Vair Entertainment banner, the Kannada version of *Hi Nanna* will be distributed by Jack Manju (Manjunath Gowda) under the Shalini Arts banner. Sanu John Varughese handles the cinematography of the film, while Hesham Abdul Wahab is in charge of music and Praveen Antony serves as the editor.

Actor Nani with Manjunath Gowda

'*Dear Jassi* turned into a Romeo-Juliet story on the editing table'

Director Tarsem Singh Dhandwar, known for films like I*mmortals, Mirror Mirror*, and *The Fall*, talks about his recent film *Dear Jassi*, his first to be shot in India

NAMRATA JOSHI

TARSEM Singh Dhandwar has a lot of thoughts and ideas teeming in his head. As he jumps from one to the next, a rare energy transmits through the short, 13-minute conversation on his new film *Dear Jassi*, his first to have been shot in India. A harrowing, tragic tale of star-crossed lovers, it is inspired by a real-life incident—the murder of Indo-Canadian beautician Jaswinder Kaur Sidhu at the behest of her own family back in 2000 in Punjab.

The famous director of many "fantastically" imagined and visually striking international commercials (Pepsi, Nike), music videos (R.E.M's Losing My Religion, Lady Gaga's 911) and celebrated films like The Cell (Jennifer Lopez), The Fall and Mirror Mirror (Julia Roberts), was in Jeddah at the Red Sea International Film Festival along with his young lead actors—Pavia Sidhu who plays Jassi and Yugam Sood as her beau Mithu—where CE sat him down for an exclusive interview.

Excerpts:

There is a musicality to the way you have edited *Dear Jassi*. The way you begin with the *Bulle Shah* song, "Beshaq mandir masjid todo", pan the camera to make the viewer literally enter the love story, and then pan it back a full circle to end with a song...

It's very amazing you say that. I came up with that last second. The writer had written another 40 pages, about what happened to Mithu's [the protagonist] life after Jassi. And I said no, I remember the story from 23 years ago. [For me] There's a telephone call that finishes this movie. Something so horrendous that a mother told her child on a telephone call. So, I had to reverse-engineer the rest of the film.

It's funny that you've used such a strange word—music. When I spoke to the writers, all the actors, I said there's no music in this film. There is no background music. There is just the film. When I explained to them the film and the style I wanted, one of the actors said, 'Oh, you're not making a Punjabi movie. You're making a movie in Punjabi.'

Was it the ghastly news itself that made you pick it up as a subject for your film and to then give it a broader Romeo-Juliet context?

I remember this line from 22 years ago, that a mother said to the people [who were holding her daughter captive]—do whatever you want, she means nothing to me. Where in the world could you get this mother? Forget justifying, how do you even begin to understand this? Where in the world can a mother say that? I put my mother in that particular position. When really good people do horrible things in the name of culture, religion, economics, anything—that's what I was looking for.

Stylistically, would you say that realism was a new dimension for you?

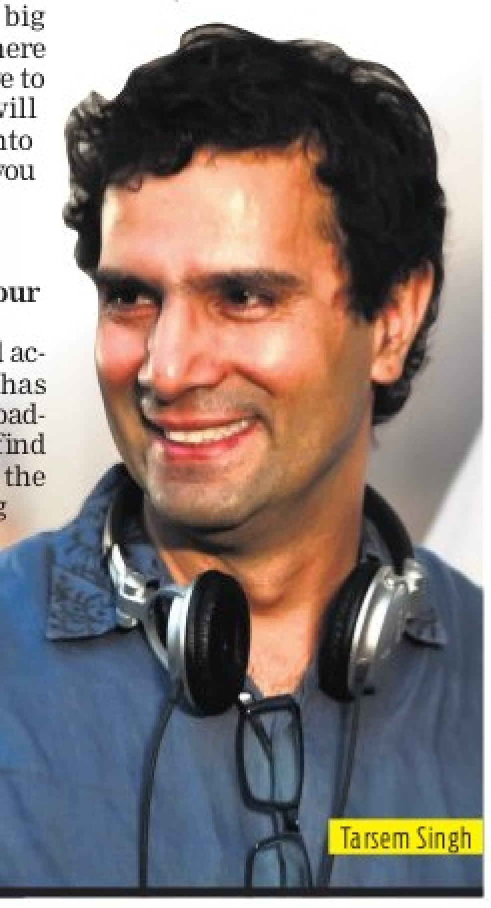
Everybody knows my fantastical stuff. But I've really liked Michael Haneke and Gaspar Noe's works and I adore the Iranian filmmakers. So, I didn't want to make a film in the neo-realism of the Italians but the mystical films that the Iranians make. But the big difference was, as I told my writer, that this will be a film that was written by Gaspar Noe or Haneke but gets directed by the Iranians. One will take you to a really big event, show it to you, get you into that world, and shock the daylights out of you. On the other hand, the Iranians will take a divorce and make it like the end of the universe. They are that intimate. So, I just decided to take a big story but to tell it simply. There are no close-ups. People have to perform within that. So, it will take you some time to get into that realism. But if you do, you are in for a shock.

The most obvious question...How did you find your two young leads?

I didn't think the Bollywood actors would work. Yugam has never acted before. He's a kabaddi player. I had 24 hours to find the girl. I just picked up the phone and started calling people in Vancouver and asked if they knew any bhangra groups or acting groups. The only condition was that the person should not have acted before. The fourth bhangra group I called said that they once had a girl there who was interested in acting, but she is a lawyer. I said it didn't matter; I needed her number in an hour. I was cycling when I got it. I called her. She sent me a picture of hers. In 10 minutes, I told her I will sort everything out, you're gonna get on a plane and come to India, and we will make this film right away.

Your film rests on extremely strong contemporary issues. How much did you want them to come into the story? And how much did you not?

I literally did not think like that. I just thought about how I tell the story in the best way possible. And that's how I went forward with it. None of the other things mattered to me. What happens in the film or the background, is not something that's going to go away. It's been going on for a long time. *Dear Jassi* turned into a Romeo-Juliet story on the editing table. I edited it in 48 hours and that's how it is. Those were real events. People asked me if drugging the family was Romeo and Juliet. I said, no, they literally drugged the family because they couldn't meet. Anything that you think comes from Romeo and Juliet is actually the real event.



Tarsem Singh